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The Seize Quartiers

OF THE

FAMILY OF BRYAN COOKE, Esq.

OF OWSTON, HAFOD-Y-WERN, AND GWYSANEY,

AND OF

FRANCES HIS WIFE,

DAUGHTER AND HEIR OF PHILIP PULESTON, ESQ. OF HAFOD-Y-WERN,
BY MARY HIS WIFE, SISTER AND COHEIR OF JOHN DAVIES, ESQ.
OF GWYSANEY AND LLANERCH.

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Illustrative Notes are added.

WILLIAM BRYAN COOKE.

June 1857.

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SEIZE QUARTIERS OF COOKE OF OWSTON, HAFOD.



SIR HENRY COOKE, BART.,
of Wheatley, co. York.
bap. Oct. 29, 1633;
m. Aug. 29, 1659.



DIANA, sister and co-
heir of CHARLES
BUTLER of Coates,
co. Lincoln, Esq.;
b. 1634;
d. Jan. 5, 1698.



REV. RALPH EATON,
Rector of Darfield, co.
York, son of THOMAS
EATON of Grappenhall,
co. Chester;
b. 1634;
m. Sept. 29, 1679;
bur. Dec. 30, 1705.



ANN, daughter and co-
heir of the Rev. ROBERT
NETTLETON of
Thornhill Lees, co.
York, att. 11, A.D.
1612.



GERVASE EYRE, Esq.,
of Rampton Manor, co.
of Nottingham, and of
Loughton - en - le - Mor-
them, co. York, M.P.
for Notts.;
bap. Aug. 20, 1669;
m. May 28, 1689.



CATHERINE, daugh-
ter of Sir HENRY
COOKE of Wheatley,
co. York, Bart.;
b. Oct. 1, 1667;
d. (or was buried)
Nov. 7, 1704.



CHARLES TURNER, Esq.,
of Kirk Leatham, co. York;
m. circa May 22, 1676;
d. 1719.



MARGARET, daugh-
ter of Sir WILLIAM
CHOLMLEY of Whitby,
co. York, Bart.



JOHN PULESTON, Esq.,
of Hafod-y-Wern, co.
Denbigh;
b. 1658;
m. circa Oct. 18, 1692;
d. Aug. 1722.

HENRY COOKE, Esq.,
of Owston, co. York, 3d son;
m. Sept. 21, 1695;
d. May 2, 1717.

ANN EATON, daughter
and co-heir;
bap. Feb. 25, 1672.

ANTHONY EYRE, Esq.,
of Adwick-le-Street, co.
York, son and heir;
m. Dec. 25, 1717.

MARGARET TURNER.

ANTHONY COOKE, Esq.,
of Owston;
b. 1710;
m. Oct. 26, 1732;
d. April 30, 1765.

MARY EYRE;
b. Oct. 21, 1726;
d. Aug. 13, 1785.

BRYAN COOKE, Esq.,
of Owston, M.P. for Mal-
ton, Leut. Royal Horse
Guards, and Colonel of
3d West York Militia;
b. June 8, 1756;
m. Dec. 18, 1795;
d. Nov. 8, 1821.

FRANCES PULESTON,
of Hafod-y-Wern and
Gressey, daughter and
heir;
b. Oct. 30, 1763;
d. Jan. 1, 1818.

MARY FRANCES;
b. Aug. 22, 1788;
m. June 8, 1818.

REV. WILLIAM MARGESSON,
of Van and Oakhurst, co.
Surrey;
b. Feb. 7, 1792.

BRYAN COOKE;
b. Feb. 6, 1790;
d. Nov. 17, 1791.

HARRIET EMMA COOKE;
b. July 20, 1791;
d. Dec. 9, 1798.

JULIA COOKE;
b. Sept. 13, 1792;
d. Nov. 28, 1811.

PHILIP DAVIES COOKE,
Esq., of Owston, Hafod-
y-Wern, and Gressey;
b. Aug. 11, 1793;
m. Dec. 8, 1829;
d. Nov. 20, 1853.

LADY HELENA CAROLINE
KING, daughter of GEORGE,
third Earl of Kingston;
b. April 11, 1801.

CAROLINE ELIZABETH
COOKE;
b. April 25, 1795;
d. July 6, 1795.

CHARLES MONTGOMERY
LAMB, Bart.
d. Banbury, co. Sussex

MARIANNE HARRIET
MARGESSON;
b. June 29, 1820;
d. June 1, 1835.

WILLIAM GEORGE
MARGESSON,
Captain 56th Regt.;
b. June 6, 1821.

HENRY DAVIES
MARGESSON;
b. Sept. 1, 1822.

EMILY CHARLOTTE
MARGESSON.

JOHN JAMES
MARGESSON;
b. Aug. 31, 1825;
d. Jan. 23, 1819.

PHILIP DAVIES
MARGESSON;
Second Captain
Royal Artillery;
b. Sept. 20, 1826.

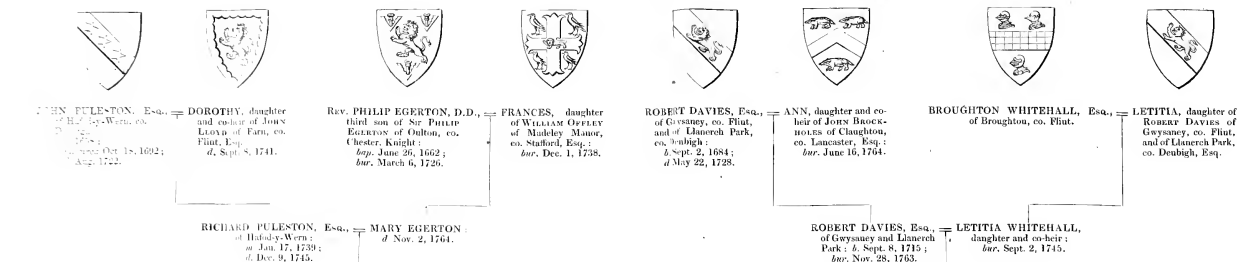
REGINALD WHITEHALL
MARGESSON, Esq.;
b. Dec. 5, 1827.

JULIA HELENA
MARGESSON.

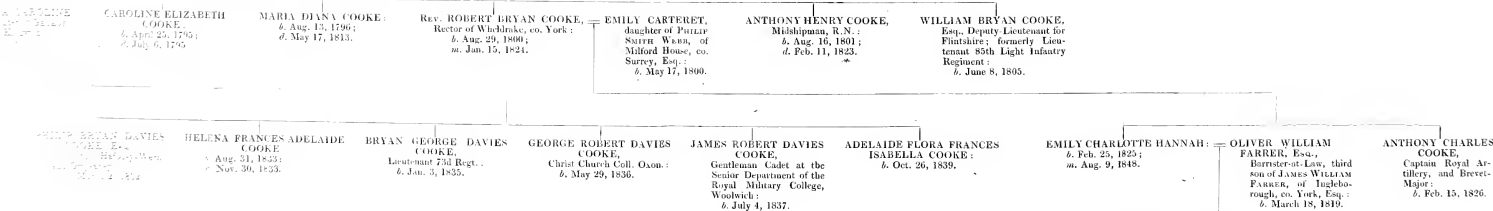
HELENA ADELAIDE
MARGESSON.

PHILIP BRYAN DAVIES
COOKE, Esq.,
of Owston, Hafod-y-Wern,
and Gressey;
b. March 2, 1832.

OWSTON, HAFOD-Y-WERN, AND GWYSANEY.



FRANCES PULESTON, *d.* 1718.



Of this marriage there is issue:—
 1. OLIVER COOKE FARRER, *b.* Sept. 17, 1849
 2. PHILIP FARRER, *b.* Nov. 17, 1853.

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SIR HENRY COOKE, BART. CHARLES

BERT

SEIZE QUARTIERS OF COOKE.



(A 1.) Sir Henry Cooke of Wheatley and of Sandall, Co. York, second Baronet, brother and heir of Sir George Cooke, first Baronet, sons of Bryan Cooke, Esq. (who died 26th December, 1653, *ætatis* 83) by Sarah his wife, daughter and heir of Henry Ryley, Esq.; baptized 29th October, 1633; married 29th August, 1659, Diana, sister and coheir of Charles, son and heir of Anthony Butler of Coates, Co. Lincoln, Esq.

Arms — Or, a chevron gules between two lions passant guardant, sable: quartering Ryley of Doncaster.

Crest — Out of a mural crown argent, a demi-lion guardant, sable, ducally gorged or.

Creation of Baronetage — 10th May, 1661.



(A 2.) Diana, sister and coheir of Charles, son of Anthony Butler of Coates, Co. Lincoln, Esq.; born in 1634; married 29th August, 1659, Sir Henry Cooke of Wheatley and Sandall, Co. York, second Baronet, brother and heir of Sir George Cooke, first Baronet; died 5th January, 1668, and was buried at Doncaster.

Arms—Or, on a chevron sable between three demi-lions passant guardant, gules, crowned of the first, as many covered cups of the field.



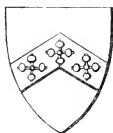
(A 3.) Rev. Ralph Eaton, Rector of Darfield, Co. York, son of Thomas Eaton of Grappenhall, Co. Chester, Esq., by Ellen his wife, daughter of Richard Harper of Moore, Co. Chester, Esq.; born in 1634; married 29th September, 1670, at Thornhill, Co. York, Ann, daughter and coheir of the Rev. Robert Nettleton of Thornhill Lees; buried at Darfield, 30th December, 1705.

Arms—Quarterly, argent and sable, a cross flory counter-changed.



(A 4.) Ann, daughter and coheir of the Rev. Robert Nettleton of Thornhill Lees, Co. York, (*ætatis* 11, A.D. 1612), by Frances his wife, daughter of Richard Rawlinson, Esq.; married at Thornhill, 29th September, 1670, the Rev. Ralph Eaton, Rector of Darfield, Co. York, son of Thomas Eaton of Grappenhall, Co. Chester, Esq., by Ellen his wife, daughter of Richard Harper of Moore, Co. Chester, Esq.

Arms — Azure, two adders combatant, twisted in pale proper.



(A 5.) Gervase, son and heir of Anthony Eyre of Rampton Manor, Co. Nottingham, and of Loughton-en-le-Morthem, Co. York, Esq., by Elizabeth his wife, daughter of Sir John Packington of Westwood, Co. Worcester, Bart., by Dorothy his wife, daughter of Thomas Lord Coventry; baptized at Rampton, 20th August, 1669; married 28th May, 1689, Catherine, only surviving daughter of Sir Henry Cooke of Wheatley, Co. York, second Baronet, by Diana his wife, sister and coheir of Charles, son and heir of Anthony Butler of Coates, Co. Lincoln, Esq.

Arms—Argent, on a chevron sable, three quatre-foils, or: quartering Padley, Whittington, Bakewell, Babington, Ward, Dethick, Allestree, Stafford, Bagot, Stanhope, Malovel, Longvilliers, Marcham, Lexington, Houghton, Strelley, Somerville, Vavasour, Felton, Bury, Wasteneys, and Sandys.—See Burke's *Landed Gentry*.



(A 6.) Catherine, daughter of Sir Henry Cooke of Wheatley, Co. York, second Baronet, by Diana his wife, sister and coheir of Charles, son and heir of Anthony Butler of Coates, Co. Lincoln, Esq.; born 1st October, 1667; married 28th May, 1689, Gervase, son and heir of Anthony Eyre of Rampton Manor, Co. Nottingham, and of Loughton-en-le-Morthem, Co. York, Esq., by Elizabeth his wife, daughter of Sir John Packington of Westwood, Co. Worcester, Bart.; died, or was buried, 7th November, 1704.

Arms—Or, a chevron gules, between two lions passant guardant, sable: quartering Butler of Coates and Ryley of Doncaster.



(A 7.) Charles, elder son and heir of John Turner of Kirk Leatham, Co. York, Esq., by Jane his wife, daughter of John

Pepys of Cleake, Co. Norfolk, Esq.; married (marriage settlement dated 22d and 23d May, 1676,) Margaret, daughter of Sir William Cholmley of Whitby, Co. York, second Baronet, by Catherine his wife, daughter of John Savile of Methley, Co. York, Esq.; died in 1719.

Arms—Argent, on a cross sable, five fers de moline of the field.



(A 8.) Margaret, daughter of Sir William Cholmley of Whitby, Co. York, second Baronet, by Catherine his wife, daughter of John Savile of Methley, Co. York, Esq.; married (marriage settlement dated 22d and 23d May, 1676,) Charles, elder son and heir of John Turner of Kirk Leatham, Co. York, Esq.

Arms—Gules, two helmets in chief, argent, a garb in base or.



(A 9.) John, son of John Puleston of Hafod-y-Wern, Co. Denbigh, Esq. (who was buried at Wrexham in October, 1674), by Ellinor his wife, daughter of Kenrick, son of Sir Gerard Eyton of Eyton, Co. Flint, Knight Banneret; born in 1658;

married (marriage settlement dated 18th October, 1692,) Dorothy, daughter and coheir of John Lloyd of Farn, Co. Flint, Esq., by Dorothy his wife; died in August, 1722.

Arms—Argent, on a bend sable three mullets of the field. Quartering, Ermine, a lion passant gules—for Howel ap Grono of Hafod-y-Wern; also, Per bend sinister, ermine and ermines, over all a lion rampant or—for Tudor Trevor, Lord of Hereford; and others.



(A 10.) Dorothy, daughter and coheir of John Lloyd of Farn, Co. Flint, Esq., by Dorothy his wife; married (marriage settlement dated 18th October, 1692,) John, son of John Puleston of Hafod-y-Wern, Co. Denbigh, Esq., by Ellinor his wife, daughter of Kenrick, son of Sir Gerard Eyton of Eyton, Co. Flint, Knight Banneret; died 8th September, 1741, and was buried at Wrexham.

Arms of Lloyd of Farn, of Esclusham, and of Dulasen—Sable, a lion rampant argent, within a border engrailed or.



(A 11.) Rev. Philip Egerton, D.D., Rector of Astbury, Co. Chester, third son of Sir Philip Egerton of Oulton, Co.

Chester, Knight, by Catherine his wife, daughter and sole heir of Piers Conway of Hendre, Co. Flint, Esq.; baptized at Little Budworth, Co. Chester, 26th June, 1662; married Frances, daughter of William Offley of Madeley Manor, Co. Stafford, Esq., by Frances his wife, daughter of Colonel John Lane of Bentley, Co. Stafford, Esq.; buried at Little Budworth 6th March, 1726.

Arms—Argent, a lion rampant gules, between three pheons sable: quartering Ap-Enyon de Malpas, Done of Oulton, and Smith of Cuerdley.—*Vide* Burke's *Baronetage*.



(A 12.) Frances, daughter of William Offley of Madeley Manor, Co. Stafford, Esq., by Frances his wife, daughter of Colonel John Lane of Bentley, Co. Stafford, Esq.; married the Rev. Philip Egerton, D.D., third son of Sir Philip Egerton of Oulton, Co. Chester, Knight, by Catherine his wife, daughter and sole heir of Piers Conway of Hendre, Co. Flint, Esq.; buried at Little Budworth, Co. Chester, 1st December, 1738.

Arms—Argent, a cross flory azure, charged with a lion^s passant guardant, or, between four Cornish choughs proper.



(A 13.) Robert, son and heir of Robert Davies of Gwysaney, Co. Flint, and of Llanerch, Co. Denbigh, Esq., (who died 8th July, 1710), by Letitia his wife, sister of John Vaughan, first Viscount Lisburne, and daughter of Edward Vaughan of Trawscoed, Co. Cardigan, Esq. M.P.; born 2d September, 1684; married Ann, eldest daughter and coheir of John Brockholes of Claughton, Co. Lancaster, Esq. (who died in 1719), by Mary his wife, daughter and coheir of William Barcroft of Barcroft, Co. Lancaster, Esq.; died 22d May; buried 3d June, 1728, in the church of Mold, Co. Flint.

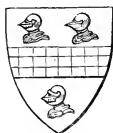
Arms—Gules, on a bend argent a lion passant, sable: quartering Mutton of Llanerch, Tudor Trevor, and others.



(A 14.) Ann, eldest daughter and coheir of John Brockholes of Claughton, Co. Lancaster, Esq. (who died in 1719), by Mary his wife, daughter and coheir of William Barcroft of Barcroft, Co. Lancaster, Esq.; married Robert, son and heir of Robert Davies of Gwysaney, Co. Flint, and of Llanerch, Co. Denbigh, Esq. (who died 8th July, 1710,) by Letitia his wife,

sister of John Vaughan, first Viscount Lisburne, and daughter of Edward Vaughan of Trawscoed, Co. Cardigan, Esq. M.P., and was buried 16th June, 1764, in the church of Mold, Co. Flint.

Arms — Argent, a chevron between three brocks (or badgers) passant, sable: quartering Barcroft of Barcroft.



(A 15.) Broughton, son and heir of John Whitehall of Broughton, Co. Flint, Esq. (who was born in 1660), by Mary his wife, daughter of Sir Andrew Hacket of Moxhull Park, Co. Warwick, Knight, by Mary his first wife, sole heir of the Rev. Joseph Henshaw, D.D., Bishop of Peterborough; married Letitia, daughter of Robert Davies of Gwysaney, Co. Flint, and of Llanerch, Co. Denbigh, Esq., by Letitia his wife, sister of John Vaughan, first Viscount Lisburne, and daughter of Edward Vaughan of Trawscoed, Co. Cardigan, Esq.

Sir Andrew Hacket, Knight, married, secondly, Mary, daughter and sole heir of John Lisle of Moxhull Park, Co. Warwick, Esq., through whom he acquired that estate.

Sir Andrew was the eldest son and heir of the Rev. John Hacket, D.D., Bishop of Lichfield and Coventry from 1661 to 1670, in which latter year he died.

Arms—Argent, a fesse chequered, gules and sable, between three helmets proper; quartering Broughton of Broughton, Tudor Trevor, and others.



(A 16.) Letitia, daughter of Robert Davies of Gwysaney, Co. Flint, and of Llanerch, Co. Denbigh, Esq., by Letitia his wife, sister of John Vaughan, first Viscount Lisburne, and daughter of Edward Vaughan of Trawscoed, Co. Cardigan, Esq.; married Broughton, son and heir of John Whitehall of Broughton, Co. Flint, Esq., by Mary his wife, daughter of Sir Andrew Hacket, Knight (son of the Rev. John Hacket, D.D., Bishop of Lichfield and Coventry from 1661 to 1670), by Mary his first wife, sole heir of the Rev. Joseph Henshaw, D.D., Bishop of Peterborough.

Arms—Gules, on a bend argent a lion passant, sable: quartering Mutton of Llanerch, Tudor Trevor, and many others.

(B 1.) Henry Cooke of Owston, Co. York, Esq., third son of Sir Henry Cooke of Wheatley and of Sandall, Co. York, second Baronet, by Diana his wife, sister and coheir of Charles, son of Anthony Butler of Coates, Co. Lincoln, Esq.; married, 24th September, 1695, Ann daughter and coheir of the Rev. Ralph Eaton, Rector of Darfield, by Ann his wife, daughter and coheir of the Rev. Robert Nettleton of Thornhill Lees, Co. York; died 2d May, 1717, aged 51 years, and was buried at Doncaster, Co. York.

Arms of Cooke of Owston and of Wheatley: quartering Butler of Coates and Ryley of Doncaster.

(B 3.) Ann, daughter and coheir of the Rev. Ralph Eaton, Rector of Darfield, Co. York, by Ann his wife, daughter and coheir of the Rev. Robert Nettleton of Thornhill Lees, Co. York; baptized at Darfield, 25th February, 1672; married 24th September, 1695, at Darfield, Henry Cooke of Owston, Co. York, Esq., third son of Sir Henry Cooke of Wheatley and of Sandall, Co. York, second Baronet, by Diana his wife, sister and coheir of Charles, son of Anthony Butler of Coates, Co. Lincoln, Esq.

Arms of Eaton of Darfield and of Grappenhall: quartering Nettleton of Thornhill Lees.

(B 5.) Anthony Eyre of Adwick-le-Street, Co. York, Esq., son and heir of Gervase Eyre of Loughton-en-le-Morthern, Co. York, and of Rampton Manor, Co. Nottingham, Esq., M.P. for Notts., by Catherine his wife, daughter of Sir Henry Cooke of Wheatley and of Sandall, Co. York, second Baronet; married, 23d December, 1717, Margaret, daughter of Charles Turner of Kirk Leatham, Co. York, Esq., by Margaret his wife, daughter of Sir William Cholmley of Whitby, Co. York, second Baronet.

Arms of Eyre of Rampton, &c. &c.: quartering Padley of Padley, Co. Derby, Stanhope of Rampton, and several others.

(B 7.) Margaret, daughter of Charles Turner of Kirk Leatham, Co. York, Esq., by Margaret his wife, daughter of Sir William Cholmley of Whitby, Co. York, second Baronet; married, 23d December, 1717, Anthony Eyre of Adwick-le-Street, Co. York, Esq., son and heir of Gervase Eyre of Loughton-en-le-Morthern, Co. York, and of Rampton Manor, Co. Nottingham, Esq., by Catherine his wife, daughter of Sir

Henry Cooke of Wheatley and of Sandall, Co. York, second Baronet.

Arms of Turner of Kirk Leatham.

(B 9.) Richard, son and heir of John Puleston of Hafod-y-Wern, Co. Denbigh, Esq. (who died in August, 1722), by Dorothy his wife, daughter and coheir of John Lloyd of Farn, Co. Flint, Esq.; married 17th January, 1739, at Little Budworth, Co. Chester, Mary, daughter of the Rev. Philip Egerton, D.D., Rector of Astbury, Co. Chester, by Frances his wife, daughter of William Offley of Madeley Manor, Co. Stafford, Esq.; died 9th December, 1745.

Arms of Puleston of Hafod-y-Wern: quartering Howell ap Grono of Hafod-y-Wern, Tudor Trevor, Lloyd of Farn, of Esclusham, and of Dulaseu, and others.

(B 11.) Mary, daughter of the Rev. Philip Egerton, D.D., rector of Astbury, Co. Chester, third son of Sir Philip Egerton of Oulton, Co. Chester, Knight, by Frances his wife, daughter of William Offley of Madeley Manor, Co. Stafford, Esq.; married 17th January, 1739, at Little Budworth, Co. Chester, Richard, son and heir of John Puleston of Hafod-y-Wern, Co. Denbigh, Esq., by Dorothy his wife, daughter and coheir of John Lloyd of Farn, Co. Flint, Esq.; died 2d November, 1764.

Arms of Egerton of Astbury and of Oulton: quartering Ap-Enyon de Malpas, Done of Oulton, and others.

(B 13.) Robert, son and heir of Robert Davies of Gwysaney, Co. Flint, and of Llanerch, Co. Denbigh, Esq., by Ann his wife, eldest daughter and coheir of John Brockholes of

Claughton, Co. Lancaster, Esq.; born 8th September, 1715; married Letitia, daughter and coheir of Broughton Whitehall of Broughton, Co. Flint, Esq., by Letitia his wife, daughter of Robert Davies of Gwysaney, Co. Flint, and of Llanerch, Co. Denbigh, Esq.; was buried 28th November, 1763, in the church of Mold, Co. Flint.

Arms of Davies of Gwysaney: quartering Mutton of Llanerch, Tudor Trevor, Brockholes of Claughton, Barcroft of Barcroft, and others.

(B 15.) Letitia, daughter and coheir of Broughton Whitehall of Broughton, Co. Flint, Esq., by Letitia his wife, daughter of Robert Davies of Gwysaney, Co. Flint, and of Llanerch, Co. Denbigh, Esq.; married Robert, son and heir of Robert Davies of Gwysaney, Co. Flint, and of Llanerch, Co. Denbigh, Esq., by Ann his wife, eldest daughter and coheir of John Brockholes of Claughton, Co. Lancaster, Esq.; was buried 2d September, 1745, in the church of Mold, Co. Flint.

Arms of Whitehall of Broughton: quartering Broughton of Broughton, Tudor Trevor, and others.

(C 1.) Anthony, fourth son of Henry Cooke of Owston, Co. York, Esq., by Ann his wife, daughter and coheir of the Rev. Ralph Eaton, Rector of Darfield, by Ann his wife, daughter and coheir of the Rev. Robert Nettleton, of Thornhill Lees, Co. York, Esq.; born in 1710, heir to his elder brother Bryan, who was heir to his father and died without issue in 1751; married 26th October, 1752, Mary, daughter of Anthony Eyre of Adwick-le-Street, and of Loughton-en-le-Morthem, Co. York, and of Rampton Manor, Co. Nottingham, Esq., by Margaret his wife, daughter of Charles Turner of Kirk Leatham, Co.

York, Esq.; died 30th April, 1763, and was buried in the church of Owston.

Arms of Cooke of Owston and of Wheatley: quartering Eaton of Darfield and of Grappenhall, Nettleton of Thornhill Lees, Butler of Coates, and Ryley of Doncaster.

(C 5.) Mary, daughter of Anthony Eyre of Adwick-le-Street and of Loughton-en-le-Morthem, Co. York, and of Rampton Manor, Co. Nottingham, Esq., by Margaret his wife, daughter of Charles Turner of Kirk Leatham, Co. York, Esq.; born 21st October, 1726; married 26th October, 1752, Anthony, fourth son of Henry Cooke of Owston, Co. York, Esq., by Ann his wife, daughter and coheir of the Rev. Ralph Eaton, Rector of Darfield, Co. York; died 13th August, 1785.

Arms of Eyre of Rampton, &c. &c.: quartering Padley of Padley, Co. Derby, Stanhope of Rampton, and several others.

(C 9.) Philip, son and heir of Richard Puleston of Hafod-y-Wern, Co. Denbigh, Esq., by Mary his wife, daughter of the Rev. Philip Egerton, D.D., Rector of Astbury, Co. Chester; born in 1742; married Mary, younger sister and coheir of John, son and heir of Robert Davies of Gwysaney, Co. Flint, and of Llanerch, Co. Denbigh, Esq., by Letitia his wife, daughter and coheir of Broughton Whitehall of Broughton, Co. Flint, Esq.; was buried 10th April, 1776, in the church of Wrexham, Co. Denbigh.

Arms of Puleston of Hafod-y-Wern: quartering Howel ap Grono of Hafod-y-Wern, Tudor Trevor, Lloyd of Farn, of Esclusham, and of Dulaseu, and others.

(C 13.) Mary, younger sister and coheir of John, son

and heir of Robert Davies of Gwysaney, Co. Flint, and of Llanerch, Co. Denbigh, Esq., by Letitia his wife, daughter and coheir of Broughton Whitehall of Broughton, Co. Flint, Esq.; married Philip, son and heir of Richard Puleston of Hafod-y-Wern, Co. Denbigh, Esq., by Mary his wife, daughter of the Rev. Philip Egerton, D.D., Rector of Astbury, Co. Chester; was buried 22d September, 1802, in the church of Wrexham, Co. Denbigh.

Arms of Davies of Gwysaney: quartering Mutton of Llanerch, Tudor Trevor, Brockholes of Claughton, Barcroft of Barcroft, Whitehall of Broughton, Broughton of Broughton, Tudor Trevor, and others.

(D 1.) Bryan, second son and heir of Anthony Cooke of Owston, Co. York, Esq., by Mary his wife, daughter of Anthony Eyre of Adwick-le-Street and of Loughton-en-le-Morthem, Co. York, and of Rampton Manor, Co. Nottingham, Esq.; born 8th June, 1756; married 18th December, 1786, at Wrexham, Co. Denbigh, Frances, daughter and sole heir of Philip Puleston of Hafod-y-Wern, Co. Denbigh, Esq., by Mary his wife, sister and coheir of John, son and heir of Robert Davies of Gwysaney, Co. Flint, and of Llanerch, Co. Denbigh, Esq. He married, secondly, in 1820, Charlotte Bulstrode, fourth daughter of Sir George Cooke of Wheatley, seventh Baronet; died 8th November, 1821, at Geneva, in Switzerland, and was buried at Owston, in the chancel of the church. His second wife died at Cheltenham in October, 1850, and was buried at Owston, in the chancel of the church.

Arms—Cooke of Owston and of Wheatley: quartering Eaton of Darfield and of Grappenhall, Nettleton of Thornhill Lees, Butler of Coates, and Ryley of Doncaster.

(D 9.) Frances, daughter and sole heir of Philip Puleston of Hafod-y-Wern, Co. Denbigh, Esq., by Mary his wife, sister and coheir of John, son and heir of Robert Davies of Gwysaney, Co. Flint, and of Llanerch, Co. Denbigh, Esq.; born 30th October, 1765; married 18th December, 1786, Bryan, second son and heir of Anthony Cooke of Owston, Co. York, Esq., by Mary his wife, daughter of Anthony Eyre of Adwick-le-Street and of Loughton-en-le-Morthem, Co. York, and of Rampton Manor, Co. Nottingham, Esq.; died at Owston 1st and was buried 8th January, 1818, at Owston, in the chancel of the church.

Arms of Puleston of Hafod-y-Wern:

1. Argent, on a bend sable, three mullets of the field: quartering,

2. Chequy argent and sable for Warren of Warrenshall.

3. Vert, semée of broomslips, over all a lion rampant or, for David ap Grono of Llai, derived from Sandde Hardd, Lord of Burton.

4. Quarterly, first and fourth, or, a lion rampant azure, armed and langued, gules, for Griffith ap Cadwgan, Lord of Nannau; second and third, or, a lion rampant gules, armed and langued of the first, for Bleddyn ap Cynfyn, King of Powys.

5. Quarterly, first and fourth, vert, three eagles displayed in fess or, for David, son of Owen Gwynedd, Prince of North Wales; second and third, gules, three lions passant in pale argent, armed azure, for Griffith ap Cynan, King of North Wales.

6. Quarterly, first and fourth, ermine, a lion rampant azure, for Griffith ap Meilir ap Elidyr ap Rhys Sais of Blomfield; second and third, per bend sinister, ermine and ermines,

over all a lion rampant or, for Tudor Trevor, Lord of Hereford.

7. Quarterly, first and fourth, azure, a lion passant argent, for Ithel Vychan, of Northop in Flintshire; second, argent and sable, four lions rampant counterchanged, for Kendric Sais of Englefield; third, argent, between four Cornish choughs proper, a cross flory engrained sable, for Edwin, Lord of Tegaingl.

8. Gules, three lions passant in pale argent, armed azure, for Richard, son of Cadwallader ap Griffith, King of North Wales.

9. Quarterly, first and fourth, ermine, a lion passant guardant gules, for Howel ap Ievan of Bersham; second and third, per bend sinister, ermine and ermines, over all a lion rampant or, for Tudor Trevor.

10. Quarterly, first and fourth, ermine, a lion passant guardant gules, for Howel ap Grono of Hafod-y-Wern; second and third, per bend sinister, ermine and ermines, over all a lion rampant or, for Tudor Trevor, Lord of Hereford.

11. Sable, a chevron between three fleurs-de-lis argent, for Ievan ap Howell of Henllys, in Cefn-y-Farm, derived from Colwyn ap Tangno, Lord of Efionydd, Founder of the Vth Noble Tribe of North Wales and Powys.

12. Quarterly, first and fourth, argent, on a chevron gules, three fleurs-de-lis or, for David ap Y Gwyn Lloyd, Baron of Hendwr, Co. Merioneth; second, argent, a lion rampant sable, armed and langued gules ("the Black Lion of Powys"), for Owen Brogyntyn, Lord of Edeirnion, Dinmael and Aber-tanat; third, or, a lion rampant gules, armed and langued of the first, for Bleddyn ap Cynfyn, King of Powys.

13. Azure, a wolf passant argent, for Cilin ap Y Blaidd Rhudd, Lord of Gest-yn-Efionydd.

14. Azure, a lion rampant or, for Almor of Almor, derived from Gwernwy, Founder of the Tribe of Duffryn Clwyd.

15. Azure, a fess or, between three nags' heads erased argent, for Rhys ap Marchien of Ruddlan.

16. Azure, a lion passant guardant or, for Llewelyn ap Dolphin, derived from Llewelyn Aurdorchog, Lord of Yale, in Denbighland.

17. Gules, on a chevron between three goats' heads erased or, three trefoils slipped vert, for Iorwerth ap Grono, derived from Ithel Velyn of Yale.

18. Gules, three chevronels in pale argent, for Llewelyn ap Meuric, derived from Jestyn ap Gwrgant, Prince of Glamorgan, Founder of the Vth Royal Tribe of Wales.

19. Quarterly, first and fourth, gules, on a bend argent a lion passant sable, for Davies of Gwysaney; second, argent, a lion rampant sable, armed and langued gules ("the Black Lion of Powys"), for Madoc ap Meredith, last Prince of Powys; third, or, a lion rampant gules, armed and langued of the first, for Bleddyn ap Cynfyn, King of Powis.

20. Quarterly, first and fourth, argent, three boars' heads coupé sable, langued gules, tusked or, for Cadwgan ap Elystan; second and third, gules, a lion rampant regardant or, for Elystan Glodrydd, Prince of Fferlys.

21. Per bend sinister, ermine and ermines, over all a lion rampant or, for Tudor Trevor, Lord of Hereford.

22. Sable, a chevron between three fleurs-de-lis argent, for Colwyn ap Tangno, Lord of Efionydd.

23. Quarterly, first and fourth, gules, on a chevron be-

tween three goats' heads erased or, three trefoils slipped vert, for Ithel Velyn, Lord of Yale; second and third, azure, a lion passant or, for Llewelyn Aurdorchog, Lord of Yale.

24. Or, a lion rampant azure, for Cadwgan, Lord of Nannau.

25. Quarterly, first and fourth, gules, a chevron or, a chief ermine, for Sir Griffith Lloyd; second, gules, a chevron ermine between three Englishmen's dead heads, coupéd in profile proper, for Ednyfed Vychan, Lord of Brynffenigl; third, gules, a Saracen's head erased at the neck proper, wreathed about the temples, sable and argent, for Marchudd ap Cyuan, Lord of Brynffenigl.

26. Vert, a lion rampant or, for Haynes.

27. Argent, a cinquefoil azure, for Mutton of Llanerch.

28. Per pale sable and argent, semée of cross crosslets counterchanged, thereon an eagle displayed with two heads or, the whole within a bordure engrained of the last, for Sir Hamo Vaughan, Lord of West Tilbury.

29. Argent, a lion rampant sable, debriused by a bend compony or and azure, for Burley of Malehurst.

30. Sable, three towers embattled argent, for De Tour of Shrewsbury.

31. Azure, three preeds (small lamperns) haurient in pale argent, for Pride of Shrewsbury.

32. Gules, seven lozenges vairé, three, three, and one, for Sir John De Burgh.

33. Or, a lion rampant gules, armed and langued of the first, for John ap William, Lord of Mawddwy.

34. Quarterly, first and fourth, argent, two bars gules, fretty or; second and third, gules, a fesse between six pears erect or, leaved vert, both for Clopton of Clopton.

35. Argent, a chevron between three brocks (or badgers) passant sable, for Brockholes of Claughton.

36. Argent, on a bend engrained sable three bucks' heads of the field, for Heton of Heton.

37. Sable, a fesse between two chevrons ermine, between the fesse and upper chevron a covered cup or, for Holden of Lancashire.

38. Sable, on a chevron between three wolves' heads erased argent a mullet, between two crescents gules, for Barcroft of Barcroft.—*Vide* Burke's *Heraldic Illustrations*, under "Cooke of Owston, Hafod-y-Wern, and Gwysaney."

(E. 1.) There was issue of the marriage of Bryan Cooke, Esq. and Frances Puleston five sons and five daughters; viz. :—

I. Bryan, born at Owston, 6th February, 1790; died 17th and buried 21st November, 1791, in Owston church.

II. Philip Davies Cooke, Esq., of Owston, Hafod-y-Wern, and Gwysaney, Deputy-lieutenant and Justice of the Peace for the West Riding of Yorkshire; High Sheriff for Flintshire in 1824; F.L.S., F.H.S., F.G.S., and F.Z.S.; born at Wrexham, Co. Denbigh, 11th August, 1793; educated at Eton School and Christ Church College, Oxford; married 8th December, 1829, at Michelstown, Co. Cork, Lady Helena Caroline King, born 11th April, 1801, eldest daughter of George third Earl of Kingston, by Lady Helen Moore his wife, only daughter of Stephen, first Earl of Mountcashel; died 20th November, 1853, at Owston, and was buried in the chancel of the church. They had issue four sons and two daughters; viz. :—

1. Philip Bryan Davies Cooke, Esq., of Owston, Hafo'l-y-Wern, and Gwysaney, born at Owston, 2d March, 1832; educated at Christ Church College, Oxford; Deputy-lieutenant for Flintshire.
2. Bryan George Davies, born in Dorset Square, London, 3d January, 1835; Ensign 73d Regiment, 22d April, 1853; Lieutenant, 22d December, 1854, serving with his regiment at the Cape of Good Hope in 1854, 1855, 1856, and 1857.
3. George Robert Davies, born in Weymouth Street, London, 29th May, 1836; at Christ Church College, Oxford, in 1855, 1856, and 1857.
4. James Robert Davies, born in Cambridge Terrace, Regent's Park, London, 4th July, 1837; Gentleman Cadet at the Senior Department of the Royal Military College, Woolwich, in 1856 and 1857.
1. Helena Frances Adelaide, born in Portman Square, London, 31st August, 1833; died in London 30th November of the same year, and was buried in Owston church.
2. Adelaide Flora Frances Isabella, born in Gloucester Place, Portman Square, London, 26th October, 1839.

N.B.—The above were all christened in the parish church of Owston.

III. Robert Bryan, born at Owston, 29th August, 1800; educated at Harrow School and at Christ Church College, Oxford; Rector of Wheldrake, Co. York;

married at Whitley, Co. Surrey, 15th January, 1824, Emily Carteret, born 17th May, 1800, third daughter of Philip Smith Webb of Milford House, Co. Surrey, Esq., by Hannah his wife, daughter of Sir Robert Barker of Busbridge, Co. Surrey, Baronet; and has had issue one son and one daughter; viz.:—

1. Anthony Charles, born at Owston, 15th February, 1826; educated at the Royal Military College, Woolwich; Second Lieutenant Royal Engineers, 17th June, 1843; First Lieutenant, 1st April, 1846; Second Captain, 17th February, 1854; Brevet Major in the Army for his distinguished services during the siege of Sevastopol, 2d November, 1855. He previously served with his corps in the island of Mauritius and that of Ceylon.
1. Emily Charlotte Hannah, born at Owston, 25th February, 1825; married at Owston, 9th August, 1848, Oliver William Farrer, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, born 18th March, 1819, third son of James William Farrer of Ingleborough, Co. York, Esq., Master in Chancery, by the Honourable Henrietta Elizabeth Scott his wife, relict of the Honourable John Scott, eldest son of the first Lord Eldon, and only daughter of Sir Matthew White Ridley of Blagdon, Co. Northumberland, Baronet.

They have issue two sons, viz.:—

- a. Oliver Cooke Farrer, born and baptized at Wheldrake, Co. York, 17th September, 1849.

- b. Philip Farrer, born in London, 17th November, 1853, and baptized at St. George's, Hanover Square.

Arms of Farrer of Ingleborough—
Argent, on a bend engrailed sable three horse-shoes of the field.

Crest—A horse-shoe between two wings, erect proper.

Motto—“*Ferré va ferme.*”—*Vide*
Burke's Landed Gentry.

- IV. Anthony Henry, born at Owston, 16th August, 1801; educated at the Royal Naval College, Portsmouth; Midshipman in the Royal Navy; died of fever on board H.M.S. Liffey, 11th February, 1823, and was buried at Trincomalee in the island of Ceylon.
- V. William Bryan, born at Owston, 8th June, 1805; educated at Rugby School; Ensign 85th King's Light Infantry Regiment, 10th April, 1825; Lieutenant, 10th June, 1826; served with his regiment at Malta and Gibraltar, from 11th December, 1825, to June 1828; Acting-adjutant of the Reserve Companies from October of that year until the head-quarters of the 85th Regiment returned to England from Malta in November 1831; retired from the army by sale of his commission in March 1832, and was appointed a Deputy-lieutenant for Flintshire, 4th October, 1856.
- I. Mary Frances, born at Wrexham, Co. Denbigh, 22nd August, 1788, married at St. George's, Hanover Square, London, 8th June, 1818, the Rev. William Margesson, of Van and Oakhurst, Co. Surrey, Vicar of Mountfield

and Rector of Watlington, Co. Sussex, eldest son and heir of William Margesson of Offington, Co. Sussex, and of Van and Oakhurst, Esq., by Mary his wife, daughter of John Hughes of Cowfold, Co. Sussex, Esq.*

They had issue five sons and five daughters; viz.:—

1. William George, born at Battle, Co. Sussex, 6th June, 1821, and baptized there; Ensign 56th Regiment, 16th July, 1841; Lieutenant, 12th September, 1843; Captain, 8th November, 1850. He was quartered with his regiment at Gibraltar and in the islands of Bermuda, and subsequently served with it at the siege of Sevastopol: passed his examination at the Senior Department of the Royal Military College, Sandhurst, November 1848.

* The Rev. William Margesson was born 7th February, 1792, and was baptized at Broadwater, Co. Sussex. His father, William Margesson, Esq., was born 12th November, 1757, was High Sheriff for the county of Sussex in 1805, and died 21st May, 1843. His father, John Margesson of Offington, &c., was born 31st March, 1716, and was High Sheriff for Sussex in 1759, and died 19th May, 1785. The family of Margesson held lands in the county of York in the fourteenth century, and is supposed to be derived from the Argensons of Normandy. The family acquired lands in the county of Surrey by the marriage of Richard Margesson, about the year 1480, with the daughter and coheir of William Newdigate, Esq.; which family possessed the greater part of Leith Hill, together with the manor of Wotton. A large proportion of the lands upon Leith Hill continued in possession of the Margesson family until about the commencement of the present century; and the present representative of the family, the Rev. William Margesson, still retains some part of the old landed estate in the parish of Ockley, called Van, Oakhurst, and Tiphams.

2. Henry Davies, born at Battle, Co. Sussex, 1st September, 1822, and was baptized there.
3. John James, born at Van, Co. Surrey, 31st August, 1825; baptized at South Berstead, Co. Sussex; died at Nice, in the Sardinian States, 23d January, 1849, and was buried there in the Protestant burial-ground.
4. Philip Davies, born at the Rectory in Ockley, Co. Surrey, 20th September, 1826, and was baptized at Ockley; educated at the Royal Military College, Woolwich; Second Lieutenant Royal Artillery, 1st May, 1846; First Lieutenant, 9th November, 1846; Second Captain, 17th February, 1854: was quartered with his corps at Gibraltar, and in the islands of Ceylon and Hong Kong.
5. Reginald Whitehall, B.A., born at Tiphams, Co. Surrey, 5th December, 1827; baptized at Ockley; educated at Magdalen Hall, Oxford.
1. Frances, born at Streatley, Co. Berks, and was baptized there; married at the British Consulate, Geneva, 28th October, 1853, Sir Charles Montolieu Lamb, of Beaufort, Co. Sussex, Baronet.
2. Marianne Harriet, born at Streatley, Co. Berks, 29th June, 1820, and was baptized there; died at Tiphams, Co. Surrey, 1st June, 1835, and was buried at Ockley.
3. Emily Charlotte, born at Great Sanders, in the parish of Seddlescombe, Co. Sussex, and was baptized at Seddlescombe.
4. Julia Helena, born at Tiphams, in the parish of Ockley, Co. Surrey, and was baptized at Ockley.

5. Helena Adelaide, born at Tiphams, in the parish of Ockley, Co. Surrey, and was baptized at Ockley.

Arms of Margesson of Oakhurst and Van — Sable, a lion passant guardant argent, a chief engrailed or: quartering Whitebread of Offington, viz. argent, a chevron sable between three hinds' heads, erased gules.

Crest — On a ducal coronet or, a lion passant guardant sable, gorged with a ducal coronet or.

Motto — “Loyalté me lie.”

- II. Harriet Emma, born at Wrexham, 20th July, 1791; died 9th December, 1798, and was buried in Owston church.
- III. Julia, born at Owston, 13th September, 1792; died 28th November, 1811, at Owston, and was buried in Owston church.
- IV. Caroline Elizabeth, born at Owston, 25th April, 1795; died 6th July, 1795, and was buried in Owston church.
- V. Maria Diana, born at Owston, 13th August, 1796; died at Owston, 17th May, 1813, and was buried in the church.
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NOTES TO THE SEIZE QUARTIERS.

NOTES.

A 1.

THE family of Cooke of Wheatley descends from Brian, son of William, son of Edward Cooke of Wheatley and Sandall, Co. York, Esq., Mayor of Doncaster in the years 1504, 1505, 1506, 1507, and 1508. The previous pedigree of the family has been lost.

The arms of Cooke, depicted on vellum, were sent by Henry St. George, Norroy King-of-Arms, to Brian Cooke, 27th August, 11th Charles I., 1635, "he having made search in the registers and records of his office for the true blazon, being a confirmation of a previous grant:" viz. Or, a chevron gules between two Lyons passant guardant, sable, armed of the second. *Crest*—a demy Lyon rampant sable, gorged with a ducal coronet about his neck or, out of a mural crown argent, armed gules.

Sir William Ridley Charles Cooke of Wheatley, ninth Baronet, is the present representative of the family.—*June 1857.*

Lawrence Cooke, the last and unfortunate Prior of the Monastery of the Carmelites in Doncaster, is represented as having been the son of the aforesaid Edward Cooke of Sandall, Esq. He suffered for his staunch and loyal support of King Charles during the Civil Wars, and was a state prisoner in the Tower of London.

The following is an extract from "The Baronetage of England," by the Rev. William Betham, editor of the "Genealogical Tables of the Sovereigns of the World," published in 1802, vol. xi. p. 253, &c. *Vide* also Neve's MSS., vol. iii. p. 58.

"Bryan Cooke of Sandall, near Doncaster, in Yorkshire, was father of Bryan Cooke, Esq., who was a great loyalist, and fined by the sequestrators—besides what he was obliged to settle on their teachers—1460*l*. He died December 26th, 1653, leaving by Sarah, daughter and heiress of Henry Ryley of Doncaster, who died December 3d, 1647, aged 48, three sons, Brian, George, and Henry; and two daughters, Susan, wife of Charles Butler of Coats in Lincolnshire, Esq.; and Sarah, wife first of John Copeley of Batley in Yorkshire, Esq.; secondly, of Thomas Nevile of Thorney, in Nottinghamshire, Esq.; and thirdly, of Christopher Ayscough, Esq., son of Sir Edward Ayscough of Kelsey, in Lincolnshire, Knight. Bryan Cooke, Esq., eldest son and heir, died unmarried, January 5, 1660. George Cooke, Esq., second son and heir to his brother, was, in consideration of the great sufferings of his father, for his loyalty to Charles I., advanced to the dignity of a Baronet soon after the Restoration, with remainder, in case of failure of issue male of his body, to his next brother, Henry, and the heirs male of his body. This Sir George died unmarried, and gave by will, 1683, 200*l*. and two cottages, for building of a fair school-house at Arksey, and was succeeded in dignity and estate, according to the remainder in his patent, by

his said brother, Sir Henry Cooke, Baronet, who married Diana, sister to Charles Butler of Coats, in Lincolnshire, Esq., by whom he had three sons,—1st. Sir George; 2d. Henry (who married Anne, daughter and coheiress of the Rev. Ralph Eaton, rector of Darfield, by whom he had five sons, Henry, Brian, Ralph, Anthony and George); 3d. Anthony, who died without issue; and two daughters, Sarah, who died young; and Catharine, wife of Gervase Eyre of Rampton, in Nottinghamshire, Esq., who served in several parliaments for that county. He was succeeded in dignity and estate by his eldest son, Sir George Cooke, Baronet, who was member of parliament for Aldborough, in Yorkshire, 1698, and married Catharine, daughter of Sir Godfrey Copley, Baronet, by whom he had seven sons and two daughters," &c. &c. &c.

“ The title of Baronet was conferred upon Sir George Cooke by King Charles II., in the first year after his restoration, in regard to the great losses and sufferings which he, his father and brother, had sustained during the civil wars and the interregnum.” *Vide* page 58 in Hunter’s *History of the Deanery of Doncaster*, and Heralds’ Visitations, Harleian MSS., No. 1420, fo. 218, and No. 4630, p. 111.

A 2.

The pedigree of the family of Butler of Coates, or Cotes, in Lincolnshire, is comprised in the Heralds’ Visitations, Harleian MSS., No. 1550, fo. 121, Ann. Domini 1564–1592.

The following account, dated 15th December, 1856, of the family of Butler of Coates, has been supplied by the kindness of the present Incumbent of its parish, Stow Parsonage, Gainsborough:—

“ The family of Butler appears, from documents which I have had occasion to consult, to have settled at Coates towards the latter end of the sixteenth century. The first of them, I have reason to believe, was Anthony Butler, who is described in one of the documents I have seen as of ‘ Gray’s Inn, in the county of Middlesex,’ and I apprehend, therefore, in the legal profession. He possessed himself of the endowment of the vicarage, which his family ever after retained; as their representative, Sir John Ramsden, does at the present hour. Of this member of the family there is no express monument; but I suppose him to be buried under an altar tomb which bears the family arms, on the north side of the chancel. The stone which covers him is the old altar slab, and is supported at the corners by the Purbeck shafts, which doubtless supported the altar itself.

“ The next monument, following the order of dates, is that of William Butler, second son of Anthony Butler, who, having married the daughter of — Yorke, Esq., died suddenly, ‘ *immaturà morte præreptus*,’ in 1590, at the age of twenty-two years. This is a mural brass, with his effigy and that of a baby, with the inscription, ‘ *Priscilla unica proles eorum obiit infans*.’ The next is also a mural brass, recording the death of Charles Butler, eldest son of Anthony Butler, who died in the forty-second year of his age, in 1602.

“ The brass, besides the arms of Butler and of Tyrwhitt (his wife’s name), contains effigies of himself and his wife kneeling at a prayer-desk, and of their children, male and female, a goodly number, kneeling—the former on the father’s side, the latter on the mother’s side of the desk, some of them (then dead, it is conceived) having skulls in their hands. The remaining monument is one of Anthony Butler, who died in 1673, being the last heir male of this family. Diana, who married Sir Henry Cooke of Wheatley, second Baronet, would, I presume, be his daughter. The coheirress with her would be probably Sarah, who married Sir William Ramsden, whose representative, the present Baronet,

is owner still of the family estate at Coates, and patron of the living.

"I have seen it stated that Charles Butler—but probably Anthony (not Charles)—who lived during the Rebellion, was fined by Cromwell for being a Royalist, and was obliged to sell part of his estate to pay it.

"The church is a very interesting one to ecclesiologists, without any pretensions to architectural beauty or effect. It is of the latter part of the twelfth century; but the narrow, round-headed windows of the Norman style, have been replaced by perpendicular and debased ones. Some traces of the old windows remain; and there is a very good doorway of transition character, entire."

I was subsequently indebted to the Incumbent of Coates for the following copy of the inscription on a monument in the church of Coates, in Lincolnshire, viz.:—

"Here lyeth y^e body of Brian Cooke of Doncaster, in the county of Yorke, Esq., who, by Sara his wife, Daughter and Heire of Henry Riley, Gent., had issue Brian; William, who dyed young; George; Henry; Alice, who dyed young; Susan; Sarah; Margaret. He dyed upon the 27th of December, 1653, in the eightieth yeare of his age."

On the monument are the arms of Cooke with the arms of Riley impaled.

The shield of Riley is much obliterated. The whole has been in colour. The field retains traces of gold, and the crosses are in sable.

It is probable, however, that the arms, now difficult to trace, owing to the ravages of time, were either "Or, a fesse between three crosses formée fitchée, sable;" or, "Or, a chevron

between three crosses pattée fitchée, sable;” both of which are given by Burke amongst several coats of arms of Riley in his *General Armoury*.

The following are extracts from the *History and Topography of the Deanery of Doncaster, in the Diocese and County of York*, by the Rev. Joseph Hunter, F.S.A. Vol. II. pages 477, 8, 9.

“*Owston* is situated about five miles north of Doncaster. The Domesday orthography is *Auston*. The Manor of *Owston* remained parcel of the duchy of Lancaster until it appears to have been granted out to the family of Adams, who had held it on lease for years, about the time of King James I.

“The two last John Adamses are said to have been wild, extravagant men. They sold all their lands in this part of the county, when *Owston* was bought by Henry Cooke, Esq., third son of Sir Henry Cooke of Wheatley, the second Baronet.

“*The Church*.—On entering this quiet church, the first object which attracts our attention is the monument of the late Mrs. Bryan Cooke; a lady whose mortal remains were committed to their last resting-place in the midst of the most undissembled sorrow, for she had conciliated the kind regards of the opulent by a behaviour always affable, yet dignified, and the affectionate attachment of the poor by every act of benevolent attention. It is a kneeling figure of Veneration, of white marble, placed in the centre of the chancel, opposite to the altar. It was executed by no inferior hand than that of Chantrey himself.

“The following inscription is on the pedestal:—

“ ‘Frances, the beloved wife of Bryan Cooke, Esq. of *Owston*, departed this life on the first of January, in the year of our Lord 1818, and in the 53d year of her age. She was the only daughter and sole heiress of Philip Puleston, Esq. of Havod-y-Wern, in the county of Denbigh, by Mary his wife, one of the two sisters and coheiresses of John Davies of Llanerch and Gwysaney, in

the counties of Denbigh and Flint, Esq. She had issue five sons and five daughters, of whom one son and four daughters died in infancy or early youth; and four sons and one daughter survived her. Quick in apprehension, sound in judgment, elegant in accomplishments, cheerful in disposition, simple and dignified in demeanour, stedfast in Christian faith and practice, and anxious to guard all she could influence from errors of faith as well as conduct. To her husband a sweet, able, and confidential adviser; to her children a bright example and faithful guide; to her dependants a kind and generous benefactress, imparting sustenance to the needy and comfort to the afflicted.

“ ‘ Such was the deceased, beloved, honoured, and revered, when she was suddenly called from the world; an awful but salutary example of the uncertain tenure of life, and of the necessity of vigilant preparation for eternity.

“ ‘ Ye know not at what hour the Son of man cometh.’ ”

It appears by another monument, that of the children:—

Julia, born 13th Sept. 1792, died 28th Nov. 1811.

Bryan, born 6th Feb. 1790, died 17th Nov. 1791.

Caroline Elizabeth, born 25th April, 1795, died 6th July, 1795.

Harriet Emma, born 20th July, 1791, died 9th Dec. 1798.

Some of the earlier members of the family of Cooke are commemorated in the following inscription on a monument against the north wall of the chancel:—

“ Sacred to the memory of Henry Cooke of Owston, Esq., whose remains lie buried in the parish church of Doncaster. He was second son of Sir Henry Cooke of Wheatley, in this county, Baronet, and married Anne, daughter and coheir of the Rev. Ralph Eaton, rector of Darfield, by whom he had issue five sons;

Henry, Bryan, Ralph, Anthony, and George. Henry died young, George died the 1st May, 1735, in the 30th year of his age, and were both interred in this church; Ralph, an officer of dragoons, died y^e 11th July, 1740, in y^e 38th year of his age, and was interred at Leicester; Bryan, Barrister-at-Law and Recorder of Doncaster, died y^e 24th November, 1751, aged 52 years, and was interred in this church. These four died unmarried. Anthony Cooke, Esq., fourth son of Henry (the first mentioned), was married in 1752 to Mary, daughter of Anthony Eyre, Esq., of Adwick, by whom he had issue Anthony, Anne, Bryan, and Henry; Anthony and Henry died infants, and were interred in this church. Anthony, the father, died 30th of April, 1763, aged 53 years, and lies also here interred. Agreeable to his last will this monument is erected in memory of himself and ancestors, but a much better monument hath he left behind him, in that he was an affectionate husband, a tender parent, a sincere friend, beneficent to many, but benevolent to all."

"Sacred to the memory of Mary, the daughter of Anthony Eyre, Esq. of Adwick, and wife of Anthony Cooke, Esq. of Owston, who died the 13th of August, 1785, aged 59 years.

"As a tribute of pious gratitude to the good care and maternal tenderness of a most excellent parent, this monument was erected by her affectionate son, Bryan Cooke."

The following is a copy of the inscription on the monument in the chancel of Owston church to Bryan Cooke, Esq., and in memory of two of his children, viz.:—

"In memory of Bryan Cooke of Owston, Esquire, for many years Member of Parliament for the Borough of Malton, Colonel of the Third West York Militia, and a Magistrate for the West Riding of the County of York. Undeviating probity of character and soundness of judgment, combined with a kindness of heart, which endeared him to his friends and relations, were the qualities

which, having eminently distinguished him here, will, we humbly trust, through the merits of his Redeemer, ensure to him blessedness hereafter. He was born June 8th, 1756. Died at Geneva, November 8th, 1821, and was buried in this chancel.

“Also in memory of two of his children,—

“Maria Diana Cooke, born August 13th, 1796. Died at Owston, May 17th, 1813.

“Anthony Henry Cooke, R.N., born August 16th, 1801. Died at Trincomalee, in the Island of Ceylon, February 11th, 1823.”

C 1 and 5.

Anthony Cooke, Esq., and Mary his wife, had issue three sons and one daughter; viz.: Anthony, Mary Ann, Bryan, and Henry.

Anthony and Henry died infants; Mary Ann married St. Andrew Warde of Hooton Paganel, Co. York, Esq., who was baptized 27th May, 1745, and was buried at Hooton Paganel, 26th March, 1822; she (Mrs. Warde) died in 1817. They had issue St. Andrew, Mary Ann, Charles, and Julia. Charles and Julia died when infants. St. Andrew married Maria Josepha, third and youngest daughter and co-heir of Colonel Stanhope Harvey of Womersley Park, Co. York, by Frances his wife, sister of St. Andrew Warde, Esq. senior. They had issue two sons and two daughters; viz.: William, in holy orders, St. Andrew, Maria Cassandra, and Sarah.

Mrs. St. Andrew Warde the younger, was buried 22nd December, 1823. Her eldest sister, Frances Ann, married 28th August, 1798, Edward, third Baron Hawke, of Towton,

Co. York; and another sister married Le Comte de Bruges, a French noble.

Arms of Warde of Hooton Paganel—Azure, a cross patonce or.

D 1.

Bryan Cooke of Owston, Co. York, Esq., was educated at Eton School and at Christ Church College, Oxford; he obtained his commission as Cornet in the Royal Horse Guards, 22d March, 1775; and his Lieutenancy in the same regiment, 6th March, 1781; and his name appears as Lieutenant in the Royal Horse Guards in the *Annual Army List* published on the 28th April, 1783, but not in that published on the 31st March, 1784. He was an active magistrate for the West Riding, and was appointed Lieutenant-colonel of the York West Riding Yeomanry Cavalry, 13th August, 1794, which rank he held until the 16th May, 1803, when he was appointed Colonel of the 3d West York Militia; in command of the latter regiment he continued until the 23d February, 1812, when, obliged by impaired health, he resigned, and was succeeded by the late Sir William Bryan Cooke of Wheatley, Baronet, whose father, Sir George Cooke, Baronet, had been Colonel of the same regiment previous to Colonel Bryan Cooke's appointment in 1803.

Colonel Bryan Cooke was M.P. for Malton from 1801 to 1812. In 1819 he married, secondly, Charlotte Bulstrode, fourth daughter of Sir George Cooke of Wheatley, seventh Baronet, by whom he had no issue.

A 3.

The Rev. Ralph Eaton, M.A., who graduated at, and was a Fellow of Brazenose College, Oxford, was Rector of Darfield, Co. York, and *ætatis* 32 at the Heraldic Visitation, 9th April, 1666; he was the only issue, by Ellen his second wife, daughter of Richard Harper of Moore, Co. Chester, Esq., of Thomas Eaton of Grappenhall, Co. Chester, Esq., second son, by Ellen his wife, only daughter and heir of Robert Hatton of Waverham, Esq., of Robert Eaton, born in 1547, ordained in 1570, Rector of Grappenhall and Mobberley, and buried at Grappenhall 30th July, 1621, aged 74; son of Robert Eaton of Barrow Lane, in the lordship of Over Whitley, Co. Chester, Esq., by Ann his wife, daughter of William Port of Ilam, Co. Stafford, Esq., brother of Sir John Port of Etwal, Co. Derby, Knight, Justice of the King's Bench in the time of Henry VIII.

Ellen Hatton was a daughter of Byrom of Byrom, Co. Lancaster, Esq., which family is known to have been the patron of Grappenhall from 1466 to the death of the last Robert Eaton mentioned, and subsequently to that event.

The Rev. Ralph Eaton had only two children; namely, Ann, who married at Darfield, Henry Cooke of Owston, Esq.; and Jane, who was baptized at Darfield, 15th August, 1671, and married at Darfield, 30th April, 1691, Edmund Watson of Haigue Hall, in the parish of Kirkby, Esq. The Rev. Ralph Eaton was buried at Darfield.

Adjoining to Barrow Lane, in the township of Seven Oaks, in the lordship of Whitley, Co. Chester, there was formerly a black and white house, now pulled down and rebuilt, called

usually Sandiway, which is supposed to have been the family mansion of the Eatons of Barrow Lane.

The Rev. Ralph Eaton appears to have been presented to the living of Darfield by the Marquis of Dorchester, whose family acquired the right of presentation, which the Draxes had possessed, from one Allen. He resided upon this preferment for many years, and in his old age the following lines were written upon him by the Rev. Henry Parke, curate of Wentworth, in a poetical effusion upon persons living at that time in the neighbourhood, viz. :—

“ But Darfield’s Eaton, above all,
Is pious, prudent, liberal,
In all things apostolical :
Free of his bread and beef and liquor,—
In short, a venerable vicar.”

Vide *The History of the Deanery of Doncaster and of the Parish of Sheffield*, by the Rev. Joseph Hunter, F.S.A.

The pedigree of the Rev. Ralph Eaton is recorded in the College of Arms, based upon that of the Visitation of 1666.

“ At the College of Brasenose, Oxford, there are two Fellowships founded by the will of John Williamson, rector of St. George’s, Canterbury, in 1522, which are confined to the kindred of the said John Williamson, or of John Port, Sergeant at Law”—subsequently Sir John Port, Justice of the King’s Bench in the time of Henry VIII,—“born in the city or county palatine of Chester.”—Vide *Oxford Calendar*, 1856.

The Rev. Ralph Eaton was cousin-german to the Rev. Byrom Eaton, D.D., who was born in 1613, and elected, in

1662, Principal of Gloucester Hall, Oxford, since merged in Worcester College, who was the son of the Rev. Samuel Eaton, elder brother of Thomas Eaton, Esq., Ralph Eaton's father.

In the hall of Worcester College, Oxford, there is now (1857), a portrait of Doctor Byrom Eaton's wife (painted by Sir Peter Lely,) by whom he had a son and daughter.

The Rev. Samuel Eaton, who died in 1639, was presented to the living of Grappenhall on the death of his father, the Rev. Robert Eaton, in 1621, who had been thirty-nine years chaplain to the honourable House of Stanley.

“Sarah Eaton, daughter of Byrom Eaton, D.D., formerly Principal of Gloucester Hall, left by will, in 1731, estates for the foundation of seven Fellowships and five Scholarships. Candidates for Scholarships on this foundation must produce certificates signed by the Bishop of their respective diocese, by the Minister of their parishes, and by four of the most substantial inhabitants of the same, that ‘they are sons of clergymen of the Church of England, and want assistance to support them in the University.’

“The Fellows must be elected out of the Scholars of the Foundation, and must take Holy Orders.”—Vide *Oxford Calendar*, 1856.

Byrom Eaton, D.D., resigned the office of Principal of Gloucester Hall in 1692. He was translated from the Archdeaconry of Stow, in 1683, to that of Leicester, and installed Archdeacon of the latter place on the 8th September of that year. He died in November, 1703.

A 4.

Furnished by the kind courtesy of the Rev. Joseph Hunter, F.S.A., June 21st, 1856, author of the *History of the Deanery of Doncaster and of the Parish of Sheffield*.

“Robert Nettleton lost his life by a fall from his horse June 30th, 1673, and was buried at Thornhill. He left a large young family. The whole issue of his marriage with Frances Rawlinson was,—

“Two sons, Thomas and Edward, both of whom died young, so that his surviving daughters became coheirs.

“The daughters were,—

“Margaret and Elizabeth, who died young.

“Mary married John Anby of Sherwood, in Osgodcross.

“Alice married Benjamin Wath or Watts of Barns-hall, in the parish of Ecclesfield. They were married at Thornhill, 10th November, 1670.

“Ann married Ralph Eaton, rector of the mediety of the church of Darfield. Married at Thornhill, 29th September, 1670.

“Frances died unmarried.

“Sarah, married at Thornhill, 7th June, 16—, Joshua Wilson.

“Grace, Lydia, and Jane seem to have died unmarried.”

Thornhill Lees was a castellated country house, now pulled down, formerly in the Wapentake of Agbrig and Moorley, near Wakefield.

In the second volume of Whitaker's *Loidis and Elmete* (Leeds and its Environs), at pages 324 and 325, it is mentioned, that in the church of Thornhill, on a gravestone in the south chancel, is the following inscription:—

“Maria nuper uxor Thomæ Nettleton de Lees Hall, Generosus, obiit in Fide Christi die Martii, Anno Dom. 1643.”

On another, viz. :—

“Here lyeth the body of Edward Nettleton of Thornhill Lees, Gent. who was buried the 25th of Februarie, Anno Dom. 1612. Mihi Vita Christus.”

The family of Nettleton of Thornhill Lees, near Wakefield, in the Wapentake of Agbrig and Moorley, Co. York, is descended from Thomas Nettleton, Esq., of that place, whose son and heir, John, by Elizabeth Holdgate his wife, was living at Thornhill Lees, 8 Henry V.—*Vide* Harleian MSS. at the British Museum,—Heralds’ Visitations, No. 1487, fo. 136, and No. 4630, fo. 415.

A 5.

The family of Eyre of Rampton, which derives from William le Eyr of Hope, Co. Derby, who held lands of Henry III. *in capite*, by service of the custody of the Forest of High Peak, and died seized thereof before 4th December, 28th of Edward I., is represented by the Rev. Charles Wasteney Eyre, son of the Rev. John Eyre, Rector of Babworth and Archdeacon of Nottingham, by Charlotte his wife, third daughter of Sir George Armytage of Kirklees, Co. York, Bart.

The Rev. Charles W. Eyre is first cousin to the Rev. George Hardolph Eyre, born 20th September, 1801, Rector of Dalton, Co. York; and to Lieut.-General Sir William Eyre, K.C.B., born 21st October, 1805; sons of the late Sir George Eyre, K.C.B., Vice-admiral of the Red, who was born 23d

April, 1769, and died 15th February, 1839, by Georgiana his wife, third daughter of Sir George Cooke of Wheatley, seventh Baronet.*—*Vide* Eyre of Rampton, &c. in Burke's *Landed Gentry*.

A 7.

Pedigree of the Turner Family.—Although this truly eminent house is celebrated for having founded one of the noblest private charities in Europe, it has now passed from the extant to the extinct baronetage, and its large possessions have become the property of another family. As it is therefore probable that no one will ever be sufficiently interested in it to recover the details of its genealogy, we shall now commit to the page of history what we have been able to glean concerning it.—*Vide* p. 368 of Ord's *Cleveland*.

John, elder brother of Sir William Turner, Knight, had two sons, Charles and William; the latter married Mary, daughter of Sir David Foulis, Baronet, of Ingleby in Cleveland. Charles, his elder son and heir, married (settlement dated 22d and 23d May, 1676,) Margaret, sister and coheir of Sir Hugh Cholmley, Baronet, and purchased the manor of

* "Thomas Lord Coventry married, secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of John Aldersey of Spurstow, Esq., by whom he had four sons and four daughters. The fourth daughter, Dorothy, married Sir John Packington, who was born in 1619, the second Baronet. Dorothy was the reputed author of 'The Whole Duty of Man.' Elizabeth, the eldest daughter of the latter, married Anthony Eyre of Rampton, Co. Notts, Esq. Anthony Eyre was baptized 17th Sept. 1634."—*Vide* Burke's *Peerage and Baronetage*.

Nesham, in the North Riding of Yorkshire. Charles Turner lived temp. William and Mary, and he died in 1719, having had by his said wife two sons and five daughters; viz.:— 1. Jane, who married Sir Thomas Standish, Baronet, of Duxbury. 2. *Name unknown*, supposed to have married a Stapylton. 3. Catharine, married to W. Wentworth, Esq. of Wooley in Yorkshire. 4. Theophila, married to Thomas Davison, Esq. of Blakiston, in Durham. 5. Margaret, married on the 23d December, 1717, to Anthony Eyre, Esq. of Rampton Manor, in Nottinghamshire. The Kirkleatham estate was purchased by John Turner of Norton, Co. Hereford, Esq., the father of the aforesaid John Turner (of Norton, Co. Hereford,) in 1623, of Sir William Bellasis. Sir William Turner, Knight, above mentioned, was several times elected Lord Mayor of London; and he founded and endowed a hospital at Kirkleatham, in 1676, for forty poor persons. Adjoining the church of Kirkleatham is a superb mausoleum, built by Chomley Turner, Esq. in 1740. Kirkleatham is in the North Riding of Yorkshire, a few miles distant from Redcar, which is situated on the sea coast.

A descendant of Charles Turner, Esq., namely, Charles Turner, Esq. of Kirkleatham, who represented the City of York in every Parliament from 1768 until his death in 1783, was created a Baronet 8th May, 1782; which Baronetage became extinct at the death of his son Charles, 1st February, 1810, the second Baronet.

A 8.

Sir Hugh Cholmley, Knight, son of Sir Richard Cholmley of Whitby, Knight, by Susanna his wife, daughter of John Legard, Esq., was born 22d July, 1600; was M.P. for Scarborough; created a Baronet 10th August, 1641; and married Elizabeth, (mother of Sir William Chomley, Baronet,) daughter of Sir William Twysden of Roydon Hall, Co. Kent, Baronet, by Ann his wife, daughter of Sir Moyle Finch of Eastwell, Co. Kent, Baronet, by Elizabeth, only daughter of Sir Thomas Heneage of Copt Hall, Co. Essex, Knight.

The Baronetage of Cholmley became extinct 9th January, 1688.

Sir William Twysden, knighted by James I., 11th May, 1603, and created a Baronet 29th June, 1611, was descended from John de Twysden, brother and heir of Adam de Twysden of Twysenden, Co. Kent, temp. Edward I. Sir Moyle Finch, Knight, created a Baronet 29th July, 1611, ancestor of the Earls of Winchelsea and Nottingham, was descended in the male line from Henry Fitz-Herbert, chamberlain to King Henry I., a common ancestor with the Herberts, Earls of Pembroke.

Sir Hugh Cholmley is deservedly celebrated for his glorious defence of Scarborough Castle, during more than twelve months, against the army of the Parliament under Sir John Meldrum, at the expiration of which time he capitulated upon honourable terms.

His son and heir, Sir William Cholmley, the second Baronet, married, in April 1657, Catherine, daughter of John

Savile of Methley, Co. York, Esq., by whom he had issue Hugh, his heir; Elizabeth, who married Sir Edward Dering of Surrenden, Co. Kent, Baronet; Catherine, who died young; and Margaret, who married Charles Turner of Kirkleatham, Co. York, Esq.

This family of Cholmley was a branch of the very ancient family of Cholmondeley in Cheshire, derived from Robert, son of William le Belward, by Beatrix his wife, daughter of Ranulph de Meschines, Earl Palatine of Chester.

William le Belward was son of Richard le Belward, by Lettice his wife, daughter and heir of Hugh, feudal Lord of Malpas; from whom also the Egertons of Egerton and Oulton, Baronets, are derived.

Vide Burke's *Peerage* for the lineage of Cholmondeley; and *ibid.* for that of Savile, under "Mexborough;" also Heralds' Visitations in Harleian MSS., under the head of "Cholmley or Cholmondely, of Whitby, in Yorkshire"—No. 1487, fo. 367.

A 9.

Puleston was anciently written Pyvelisdon, from Robert Pyvelisdon, who came over to England at the Conquest. *Vide* "Puleston of Emral," in Burke's *Baronetage*.

A 9 and 13.

In the list of persons deemed fit and qualified to be made Knights of the Royal Oak at the Restoration—an Order never, however, instituted—is found the name of Robert Davies of Gwysaney, Esq., whose estate was at that time valued at 2000*l.* per annum; and the name of John Puleston of Hafod-y-Wern, Esq., whose estate was then valued at 2500*l.* per annum.—*Vide* the *English Baronetage*, published in 1741, p. 379, vol. v.

The following genealogy of the progenitors of John Puleston, Esq., of Havod-y-Wern, born in 1658, has been copied from an autograph pedigree compiled by John Salusbury of Erbystock; “faithfully transcribed from the books of Robert Davies of Gwysaney, Esq.,” dated 10th March, 1664, and continued from family deeds and documents:—

Sir Richard Pyvelesdon de Pyvelesdon, Co. Salop, Knight.

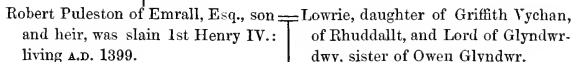
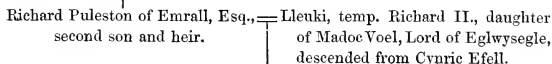
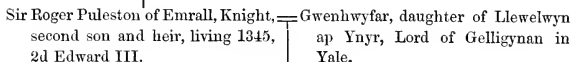
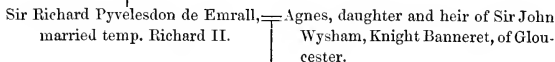
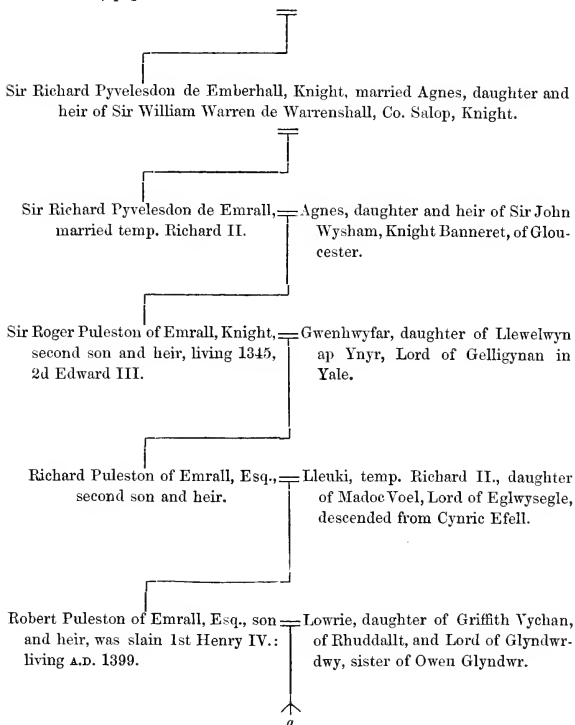
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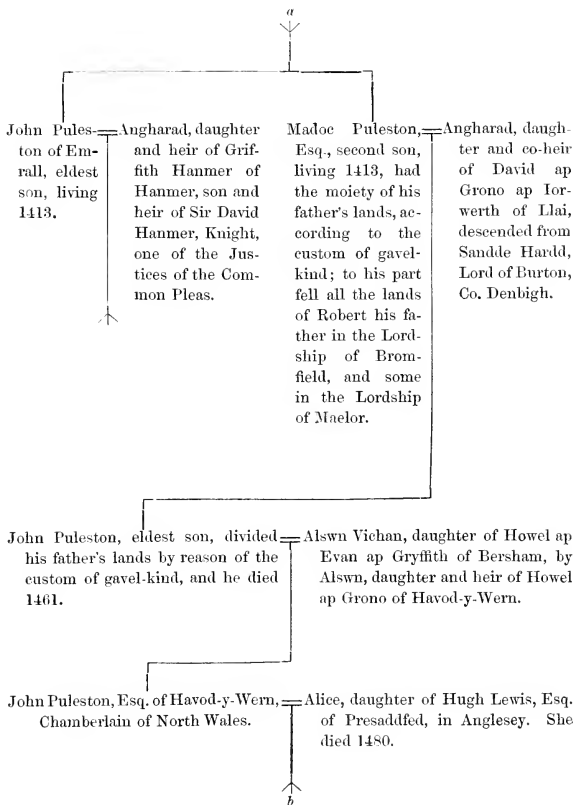
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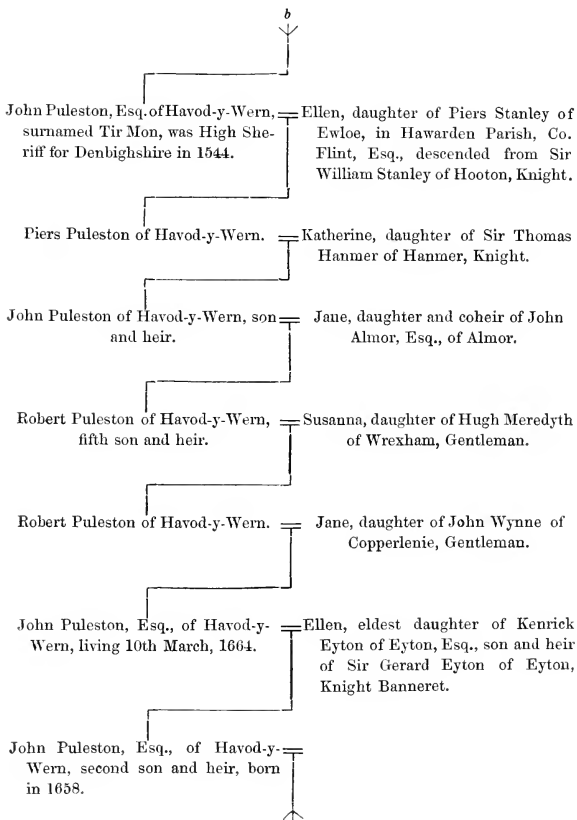
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└ Sir Roger Pyvelesdon, Knight de Embershall, third son, living 1283, married Agnes, daughter of David le Clerke, son of William Belward, Baron of Malpas. This Sir Roger Puleston of Emrall, Knight, was Lieutenant to

King Edward the First, and was Sheriff of Anglesey 33d Edward I., 1304. He was beheaded by the Welshmen for gathering a subsidy for the King among them.—Matthew Westminster, page 395; and Doctor Powel's *Chronicles*, page 380.







A 9.

Sir Gerard Eyton was a zealous and distinguished Royalist in the time of the Civil Wars, and was in arms against the Commonwealth in the castle of Denbigh, when it surrendered to the Parliamentary forces. He compounded for his property, which was sequestered. The original documents form part of the Royalist Composition Papers in the State Paper Office.

There is an old flat tombstone in Gresford Church, bearing the Puleston arms. It is inserted into the wall under a low arch, where it evidently has been allowed to remain in its original situation when the present church was built. The inscription round the shield is "Hic jacet Gronow ap Iorwerth ap Dafydd. 1321."

Kindly communicated by Miss E. C.

A 10.

The Lloyds of Esclusham and Dulasen derived from David Goch, Lord of Penmachno in Caernarvon, son of David ap Griffith, who, after the death of his brother Llewellyn, sole Sovereign of North Wales, continued the struggle for the independence of his country, but having been treacherously betrayed, was, with his wife and children, carried in chains to the castle of Rhuddlan. In the month of September following

(1283), an English parliament, assembled by Edward I. at Shrewsbury, pronounced the doom of the last sovereign prince of one of the most ancient dynasties of Europe. He was sentenced to death, and executed. Esclusham is situated within a mile and a half of the town of Wrexham.

A 11.

The Rev. Philip Egerton, D.D., had issue by this marriage three sons and six daughters: namely; Philip, John, and Rowland; Bridget, Elizabeth, Mary, Frances, Catherine, and Sibilla.

He was Rector of Astbury, Co. Chester; to which living he was presented by the then patron, John Egerton, Esq., on the 10th March, 1704. By the decease without issue of two elder brothers, he became ancestor of the main branch of the Egertons of Oulton, Baronets.

Sir Philip Egerton, who was knighted by King Charles II. for his loyalty during the Grand Rebellion (third son of Sir Rowland Egerton, Bart., so created 5th April, 1617), succeeded to Oulton, under the will of his father, died there 15th August, 1698, and was buried at Little Budworth. His widow, Catherine, was buried at the same place, 9th January, 1706-7.

The ancient family of Egerton of Egerton and of Oulton, derived from Robert, son of William, son of Richard Le Belward, by Lettice his wife, daughter and heir of Hugh, feudal

Lord of Malpas, is represented by Sir Philip de Malpas Grey Egerton, of Egerton and Oulton Park, Co. Chester, tenth Baronet.

Creation—5th April, 1617.

For the pedigree of Egerton of Oulton, *vide* Heralds' Visitations in Harleian MSS., 1424, fo. 56 b.; 1505, fo. 56 b.; 1535, ff. 128 and 216 b.; 2119, ff. 53 b. and 228 b.; 2142, fo. 22; and 2187, fo. 52 b.

A 12.

“The lordship of Wichnor was sold by Sir Francis Boynton of Bramston in Yorkshire, in 1661, to Mary, widow of John Offley of Madeley, Esq., whose grandson, Crew Offley, Esq., built the present house, where his only son, John Offley, Esq., sometimes resided, though seldom long together.

“This family, no doubt, took their name from one of the Offleys in the Hundred of Pirehill, and are supposed to have been originally a younger branch of those Offleys, who were lords of Bishop's Offley, &c., during the reigns of King John and King Henry III.” — *History of Staffordshire*, published in 1798, by the Rev. Stebbing Shaw, B.D. and F.A.S., vol. i. p. 124.

At page xxxv. in the Appendix to the *General History of Staffordshire*, by Shaw, appears the name of John Offley, Knight, of Madeley Manor, Sheriff for the County in the 14th of King James I.; the name of John Offley, Esq., of Madeley,

in the 2nd of Charles II.; and that of Joh. Offley, Esq., in the 32nd of Charles II.

In the church of Armitage, in Staffordshire, within the altar rails, on an alabaster gravestone, is the following inscription, in Roman capitals:—

“Here lyeth the body of Garvas, sixth son to Mr. Thomas Offley, then of Lee, and dame Frances his wife. He was borne the 2d of May, and died the 19th July the same year, 1653.”

“Over this inscription is a shield of arms, viz. on a cross fleury, a lion passant guardant, (others of the name add four Cornish choughs, sable), impaling Lane.”

Note to the above—viz. “Lee meaning the old half-timbered mansion, I presume, called Lee Hall, by the road side, betwixt Armitage and Rugeley, in the parish and manor of Armitage.”

Vide Shaw’s *Staffordshire*, vol. i. page *210; and, for arms only, Harleian MSS. 6128, fo. 5*, at the British Museum.

Miss Frances Lane, who became the wife of William Offley, Esq., and mother of Mrs. Philip Egerton, was the daughter of the renowned Colonel John Lane, to whom, and to his sister Jane, subsequently Lady Fisher, King Charles II. was indebted for his safety and escape after his defeat at the battle of Worcester, on the 3rd September, 1651.

The following is extracted from Shaw’s *History of Staffordshire*, vol. i. pages 73 and 74:—

“After the battle of Worcester, King Charles II. having remained two days at Boscobel, removed thence to Moseley, to the house of the loyal Mr. Thomas Whitgreave, where he found better accommodations. Hence, two days after, he removed with Lord

Wilmot to Colonel John Lane's, of Bentley, where he was loyally and well entertained. A scheme was here formed for his journey to Bristol, in hopes of finding a ship to convey him abroad. Mr. Lane, having previously obtained a pass, which during those times of confusion was requisite, for his sister, Jane Lane, and a servant, to go beyond Bristol to visit Mr. Norton their relation. The King, therefore, being dressed like a countryman, and having twenty pounds given him by the Colonel to pay the expenses of the journey, rode before the lady in safety to Mr. Norton's house. But no ship could be found likely to set sail, either for France or Spain: the King, therefore, was obliged to fly elsewhere for a passage, and sought safety for the present at Colonel Windham's, in Dorsetshire, where he continued some time in expectation of a ship at Lyme, but was again disappointed. At length, after having passed through many other adventures, assumed various disguises, and been exposed to frequent dangers, a vessel was procured at Brighthelmstone in Sussex, where he arrived at the George Inn, in West Street, on the 14th of October. The house, which has now the sign of King Charles's Head, was kept by a man named Smith, who had lived about the Court. He recognised the person of his royal guest, but had too much honesty to betray him. The following morning his Majesty embarked in a small vessel, commanded by Nicholas Tattersall, and the next day landed at Fescamp, near Havre de Grace, in Normandy."

It should be observed, that during Saturday, the first of the two days that King Charles was at Boscobel, he had occasion to conceal himself, accompanied by Colonel William Carlis, in an oak-tree; which became subsequently celebrated as the Royal Oak. *Vide* page 76, vol. i. of Shaw's *Staffordshire*.

Miss Jane Lane, alluded to above, married Sir Clement Fisher, Knight, and died s. p. in 1689.

For pedigree of Lane, or Loane, of Hyde and Bentley, in Staffordshire, *vide* the Heralds' Visitations at the British Museum, Harleian MSS., 1173, fo. 88 b.; 1415, fo. 126 b.; 1570, fo. 45 b.; and 6128, fo. 63 b.

“In the sixth of Henry VI., Richard Lane purchased the manor of Bentley, and bayliwick of the hay, of Thomas Griffith, as appears by the above deeds of release, &c. This Richard Lone, or Lane, of Hulton, descended from Richard, living 1315, grandson of Adam de Lona de Hampton, as the pedigree more fully shows, married Elizabeth, daughter and heir of Ralph de la Hyde, by which means that manor came into the family. He died 1438—16th Henry VI.—and was succeeded by his son and heir John Lane, of Bentley and Hyde, who married Margerey, daughter of Randle, or Ralph Egerton, of Wrinehill of this county (Staffordshire); by whom he left issue Richard, his son and heir, who married Ann Harcourt, of Ranton Abbey, who had a second husband, Thomas Partrich, of King's Bromley. This Richard Lane, Esq., died 1st February, 1517—8th Henry VIII.—(and John Lane was his son and heir, æt. five years), seised of this manor of Bentley, which he held in capite by the third part of a knight's fee; the manors of Hyde and Lee, held of Sir John Giffard, Knight, by the fourth part of a knight's fee; the advowson of the churches of Blimhill and Brewood of the Bishop of Chester; and divers other lands and tenements in this county. He (John Lane) took to wife Catherine, daughter of Thomas Partrich,—and by that match seems to have been the right heir of King's Bromley, as in vol. i. page 145—by whom he left issue three sons, Thomas, Richard, and John; and, as appears by another office, died November 17th, 1577,—19 Elizabeth—(and Thomas was his son and heir, æt. 45), seised of the above manors, and lands, &c., together with the manors of Bromhall and Gunston, with their appurtenances; also the manor of Coven, with one messuage, one cottage, and 280 acres of land, &c., held of the barony of Stafford, &c.

“ This Thomas Lane is mentioned among the second list of subsidies paid the 18th of Elizabeth, his lands being then rated at 15*l.*, for which he found two light horse—Harl. MSS., 1985, fol. 212. Which Thomas Lane, Esq., married Catherine Trentham,—she died 1582, as the monument in Wolverhampton church showeth—by whom he had issue three sons, John, Thomas, and Michael, and one daughter, Cassandra, wife of Thomas Littleton; and, as appears by another office, died 31st Elizabeth, 1589, leaving John his son and heir, æt. 24, seised of the manors and lands above mentioned, and other lands and tenements in Darlaston, held of Henry Offley, as of his manor of Darlaston, by fealty, &c.

“ This John Lane, Esq., his son and heir, married Jane, daughter of Sir Edward Littleton, Knight, by whom he had issue one son Thomas; and a daughter Alice, second wife of Alexander Whitwick, Esq., as appears in both their pedigrees. He died the 25th June, 1606, leaving the aforesaid Thomas, his son and heir, æt. 20, seised of all the above manors and lands, &c. Which Thomas married Ann Bagot of Blithfield, sister to Sir Harvey Bagot, the first baronet, by whom he left issue John, his son and heir, and William, who was of Stretton; and two daughters, Jane, wife of Sir Clement Fisher, who died s.p. 1689; and Ann, wife of Edward Birch of Leacroft, Esq.

“ This John Lane of Bentley, Esq., was the renowned Colonel, who, with his sister Jane, rendered such signal service to King Charles II., in assisting to save him from the hands of his pursuers after the battle of Worcester; of which a full account has already been given in our *General History* (see vol. i. page 70)—and of the handsome monument of the Colonel, with his ancestors, in Wolverhampton church, engraving, will appear further on (see page 157, vol. ii.).

“ Doctor Wilkes says, ‘ This family of Lane had long possessed this estate, and lived here in great repute.’ ”

*Id*e page 95, vol. ii. of Shaw's *Staffordshire*.

It appears, however, by the same authority, that Thomas Lane, in conjunction with his son, John Lane, the latter fourth in descent from Colonel John Lane, sold Bentley in 1748 to Mr. Joseph Turton, of Wolverhampton, who re-sold it to Lord Anson, from whom it has descended, with his other great estates, to the present proprietor, Thomas Anson, Esq. (1798.) The present representative (1798) of the above ancient and respectable family is John Lane, Esq., eldest son of the last possessor of Bentley of that name, an ingenious barrister of Lincoln's Inn, and joint-lord with his brother Thomas of the manors of King's Bromley, &c., in the same county. The ancient seat of their ancestors at Bentley has been entirely mutilated of late years, and is now converted (1798) into a modern farm-house for a tenant.

Colonel John Lane married Athalia Anson, by whom he had issue, in addition to other children, Frances, who married William Offley, Esq., of Madeley Manor; whose daughter Frances married the Rev. Philip Egerton, D.D., of Oulton, Co. Chester, and Rector of Astbury, in the same county.

“ Of the Pensions and other Marks of Distinction granted to the Lanes.

“ House of Commons, Wednesday, 19 December, 1660.

Journ. V. VIII. page 216.

“ Resolved—‘ That as a mark of respect to Mrs. Lane, and in testimony of the high resentment and value of her service, in being instrumental to the preservation and security of the person of his royal majesty, there be conferred on the said Mrs. Lane the sum of one thousand pounds to buy her a jewel; and that the same be, and hereby stands charged on the arrears of the grand excise, and

paid to her or her assigns, in course, after the other sums are satisfied which are charged on the grand excise, by former orders of this Parliament. And the Commissioners of the Excise, for the time being, are hereby empowered and required to satisfy and pay the same accordingly. And this order, together with the acquittance of the said Mrs. Lane or her assigns, testifying the receipt thereof, shall be to the Commissioners of Excise a sufficient warrant and discharge.'

“‘His Majesty likewise honoured Colonel John Lane more especially—as he did Colonel Carlis—even after his death, with a royal badge or acknowledgment of his loyalty and fidelity, by adding to his coat armour a *canton of England*, to be used in memory of them by his posterity for ever; and out of his singular gratitude to him, would have had his body buried amongst the kings at Westminster, had not this hero before his death most modestly refused it. All which appears from the letters patent and warrants of the king, earl marshal, kings and heralds at arms, and the epitaph upon his stately tomb at Wolverhampton, erected by Thomas Lane, Esq., his son and heir, which for the singularity and further notoriety of the fact are here annexed:—

“‘CHARLES R. To our right trusty and right well-beloved cosin and counsellor, Henry, earl of Peterborow, deputy to our right trusty and right well-beloved cosin, Henry, earl of Norwich, earle marshall of England, greeting. We, calling to mind the great and signal service performed to us by John Lane of Bently, in the county of Stafford, deceased, in his ready concurring to the preservation of our royal person after the battle of Worcester, at which time contemning the threatnings publisht by the murtherers of our royal father against any one who should conceal or assist us, and disdaining the rewards proposed to such as should be instrumental in the discovery and destruction of our person, and not valuing any hazard his family might run, with the duty of an un-

spotted allegiance, did by his great prudence and fidelity so conduct us, that we were able at length to retire to places of safety beyond the seas; have therefore of our own free will and proper motion given and granted unto the descendants lawfully issued from the body of the said John Lane, this honourable remuneration, as a notable mark or badge of his constant fidelity; that is to say, henceforth they shall bear in augmentation to their paternal armes, three Lyons passant guardant or, in a canton gules. And our will and pleasure is that you doe require and command our servants the kings and officers of armes to marshall and set up in all proper places and upon all occasions the paternal armes of the said John Lane, with the augmentation aforesaid; and that you also direct and require the register of our College of Armes to cause this our concession to be duly entered upon record in our said College. Given under our royal signet and signe manual, this 12th day of July, *anno* 1677, and in the 29th year of our reigne.

‘By his Majestie’s Command,

‘J. WILLIAMSON.’

“ ‘These are, therefore, according to his majesties royal will and pleasure, signified to me by his said recited grant, to will and require you, the king’s and other officers of armes, and every of you, to doe and perform, from time to time, as occasion shall require, all and every the dutyes and services, which by his majestie, in and by his said grant, are signified and appointed to be done by you or any of you, for or on the behalf of the descendants lawfully issued from the body of the said John Lane: and for you so doing these shall be to you and every of you a sufficient warrant. Dated under my hand and the seal of the earle marshall’s office, this 18th day of July, 1677, and in the 29th year of his majesties reign.

‘PETERBOROW.’

“ ‘Know ye therefore, that in pursuance thereof we have caused the same to be registered in the records of our College, and have

marshalled the said augmentation with the paternal armes of their family, viz., Party per fess, or and azure, a chevron gules betwixt three mullets, counterchanged of the field. Given under the common seal of the College of Armes this 21st day of July, in the 29th year of the reign of our sovereign lord Charles the Second, *annoque Domini, 1677.*'

“ ‘ Which armes are set up, together with the augmentation, upon a noble monument erected to his memory in the north isle of the collegiate church of Wolverhampton, amongst others of the family, with the following epitaph :—

“ ‘ Mortales exuviæ
prævalidi Johannis Lane, armigeri,
fæliciter reanimari expectantēs,
hic repositæ.

Vir supra titulos, vel cujus meritis
tituli desunt.

In turbis nuperis intestinis sub rege Car. I.
et deinde in bello Batavo sub rege Car. II.
tribuni militum dignissime officio fungebatur.

Regis et patriæ liberator.

Nempe, cum Car. II. et præliis Vigorniis
ægerrime elapsum, et undique insectatum,
summa pietate, summa fide, summa virtute,
ultimò denique capitis periculo,
iniquis tyranni usurpantis, et suorum insidiis
fortiter eripuit.

Factum inter præclarissima
præclarissimum ;

ut ipse monarcha etiam non tacitè agnovit
cum augmentatione regali ex insigniis regiis,
ad insignia antiqua nobilis LAN, familiæ
Filium Tho. Lane (digni patris dign. hæ.)
in loco defuncti decoravit et retribuit.

Cujus Ossa insuper *rex* gratus et pius
 in mausoleis Basilicis *Westmonast.*
 amoris ergo munificè condi voluit,
 ni ipse *heros* moriens istis honoribus
 modestè obstetisset.
 Natus est VIII. kal. April. an. MDCIX.
 et prid. kal. Sept. an. MDCLXVII.
 mortem obiit complorata.

Vide pages 82 and 83, vol. i. of Shaw's *Staffordshire*.

"On the north side of the steeple of Wolverhampton church is a chapel, anciently called St. Catherine's, now Mr. Lane's chancel. In the north-east corner is a fair monument of alabaster, on the table whereof is the portraiture of a man in armour and his wife, very well wrought, the end and side being adorned with several coats of arms and their twelve children; and about the table this inscription, in black letter:

" 'Here lieth the bodies of Thomas Lane, of Bentley, in the county of Stafford, Esquire, and Catherine his wife, which Catherine deceased in the year of our Lord God 1582.'

"The escutcheons are as follow on the wall at the foot of the monument:—

"Party per fesse, or and azure, a chevron gules between three mullets counterchanged. *Lane.*

"A lion rampant ermine.

"Gules, two bars or. *Harcourt.*

"Ermine, a fesse fretté or. *Hawkston for Egerton.*

"Gules, a scythe and snead argent. *Hyde.*

"Argent, three griffins' heads erased, sable. *Trentham.*

"At the end of the monument these escutcheons:—

"Under the man's head,—

“Party per fesse, or and azure, a chevron gules between three mullets counterchanged. *Lane*.

“Under the woman’s head,—

“Argent, three griffins’ heads erased, sable. *Trentham*.

“Between these two escutcheons, party per fesse or and azure, a chevron gules between three mullets counterchanged, *Lane*; impaling, Argent, three griffins’ heads erased, sable, *Trentham*.

“On the side of the monument the escutcheon of *Lane* with quarterings, impaling the escutcheon of *Littleton* with quarterings, viz.:—

“Party per fesse, or and azure, a chevron gules between three mullets counterchanged. *Lane*.

“A lion rampant ermine.

“Gules, two bars or. *Harcourt*.

“Ermine, a fesse fretté or. *Egerton*.

“Gules, a scythe and snead argent. *Hyde*.

“Argent, three griffins’ heads erased, sable. *Trentham*.

“Argent, upon a lion rampant sable, a fesse countercomposé, or and azure. *Burley*; impaling, viz.

“Argent, a chevron between three escallops, sable. *Littleton*.

“Or, three piles sable, a canton ermine. *Wrottesley*.”

C 9.

Copies of Inscriptions on Monuments in Wrexham Church:—

“Near this monument lies the body of Philip Puleston of Hovod-y-Wern, Esq., in this parish—descended from the very ancient family of Pulestons of Emral in the County of Flint. He married the youngest daughter of Robert Davies of Llanerch, Esq., in the County of Denbigh, by whom he left Frances their only child. He died April 10th, 1776, aged 34.”

C 13.

“Mary, the youngest daughter of Robert Davies, Esq., of Llanerch, and relict of Philip Puleston Esq., of Havod-y-Wern, died September 22d, 1802, aged 63.”

“Frances Puleston, daughter of Richard Puleston, Esq., of Havod-y-Wern, in this parish, by Mary his wife, deceased 14th November 1804, aged 69.”

A 13.

The confirmation of the arms of Davies of Gwysaney was recorded in the College of Heralds in 1581, and an official emblazonment of them is in the possession of Philip Bryan Davies Cooke, Esq., of Owston and Gwysaney, and a copy of it in the possession of Owen Davies, Esq., representative of the male line.

The following appears in the second volume of Burke's *Visitation of the Seats and Arms of the Noblemen and Gentlemen of Great Britain*, published in 1853:—

“Gwysaney, Co. Flint, the seat of the ancient and eminent family of Davies, the maternal ancestors of Philip Davies Cooke, Esq., of Owston, Yorkshire. It stands upon high ground, nearly six hundred feet above the level of the sea, and about two miles

north of the town of Mold, which was anciently called by the Romans, MONS ALTUS; and by the Britons, Yr Wyddgrug, meaning a 'lofty and conspicuous hill.'

"The mansion is of the old English or Elizabethan style of architecture, and was erected some time between the years 1597 and 1603. It is built of micacious sandstone, on a stratum of which it stands, but the materials are supposed to have been brought from a still older family residence about half a mile distant. Of this a few traces only are to be seen, although the field where we find them is still called 'Hen blas,' or the 'Old Place.'

"From the house and grounds is an extensive view, stretching over the Dee and Mersey rivers to the east, the vale of Mold to the south, and the Clwydian range of mountains to the west. The soil is extremely favourable to the growth of trees, which attain here to an immense size, particularly sycamores and Spanish chesnuts.

"This family, being staunch adherents of the Stuarts during the great civil war, attempted to fortify and hold out their mansion for Charles against his opponents. They were consequently besieged by Sir William Brereton, a Parliamentary general of eminence, who took Gwysaney, after a short but gallant resistance, on the 12th of April, 1645. The remnant of its little garrison, twenty-seven in number, with their officers, were made prisoners. Marks of the siege are still visible, and a bullet yet remains in the door of the mansion.

"The Davieses of Gwysaney have ranked for centuries among the first families of North Wales. They derived an unbroken male descent from the famed Cynric Efell, Lord of Eglwys Egle, living A.D. 1200, son of Madoc ap Meredith, Prince of Powys Fadoc, sixth in descent from, and heir of, Mervyn, King of Powys, third son of Rhodri Mawr. In the *Landed Gentry* a full history of this great house appears. Suffice it, for our present purpose, to state that the first who assumed the name of Davies was John ap David, of Gwysaney, great-grandfather of the staunch Royalist,

Robert Davies, Esq., to whose bold defence of Gwysaney we have just alluded. He served as High-Sheriff of Flintshire in 1644, 1645, 1646, and 1660, and a release granted to him by Oliver Cromwell, dated 1658, is still preserved. At the Restoration, his name occurs among those deemed qualified for the knighthood of the 'Royal Oak,' and his estate was then estimated at 2000*l.* a-year; a very considerable sum for those times. By his marriage with Anne, daughter and co-heir of Sir Peter Mutton, Chief Justice of North Wales, he acquired the fine estate of Llanerch Park. His son and heir, Mutton Davies, Esq., of Gwysaney and Llanerch, High-Sheriff of Flintshire in 1670, married Elizabeth, only daughter of Sir Thomas Wilbraham, Bart. of Woodhey, and had, with junior issue, two sons: 1. Robert, of Gwysaney and Llanerch, High-Sheriff of Flintshire in 1704, whose present representative is Philip Davies Cooke, Esq., of Gwysaney; and 2. Thomas, whose descendant and male heir is the present Owen Davies, Esq., some time resident at Chilwell Hall, Notts. and Eton House, Kent."

Transmission of the Representation of the Male Line of Davies of Gwysaney to Owen Davies, Esq.

Mutton Davies, Esq., of Gwysaney, Co. Flint, inherited that place from his father, Robert Davies of Gwysaney, Esq., born 19th February, 1616, High-Sheriff of Flintshire in 1644, 5, 6, and in 1660, who defended Gwysaney House with a garrison of about thirty men against a Parliamentary force under Sir William Brereton during a fortnight, when he surrendered on honourable terms. His property was sequestered and compounded for. (Royalist Composition Papers,

State Paper Office.) Llanerch Park, Co. Denbigh, was inherited by Mutton Davies in right of his mother, Anne, daughter and co-heiress of Sir Peter Mutton, Knight, of Llanerch Park, Chief Justice of North Wales, and M.P. for Carnarvon, by Eleanor, relict of Evan Griffith of Pengwern, Co. Flint, Esq., and sister of John Williams, D.D., Archbishop of York, Lord Keeper of the Great Seal, and also of John Williams, Esq., ancestor of the Williams-Bulkeley of Penrhyn, Co. Caernarvon, and of Baron Hill, Co. Anglesey, Baronets. The heiress of Llanerch was fourteenth in descent from Llewelyn ap Griffith, last Prince of North Wales, slain in the contest for the independence of his crown with Edward I., King of England, at Builth, 11th December, 1282, by Eleanor his wife, daughter of Simon de Montfort, Earl of Leicester, by Eleanor his wife, second daughter of John, King of England. Mutton Davies was High-Sheriff of Flintshire in 1670. He was born 19th, and baptized at Mold on the Feast of St. Matthias, 24th February, 1634, and married at Chester, Thursday, 27th May, 1657-8, Elizabeth, born at Duddington, Co. Chester, 18th July, 1641, only daughter (by Elizabeth, daughter and co-heiress of Sir Roger Wilbraham of Bridgmere, Co. Chester, Knight, of the house of Woodhey, Solicitor-general to Queen Elizabeth in Ireland and Master of Requests in Ordinary to her in 1600, afterwards Surveyor of Liveries in the Court of Wards to King James, and Chancellor of Queen Anne), of Sir Thomas Wilbraham of Woodhey, Co. Chester, Bart., and sister of Sir Thomas Wilbraham of Woodhey, Bart. The latter, "who had been distinguished in the Royal service, was nominated one of the Knights of the intended Order of the Royal Oak, his estate being valued at 3000*l.* per annum. He was thirteenth in lineal descent from Sir Richard de Wilburnham,

Lord of Wymincham and Radnor, Sheriff of Cheshire 43 Henry III., and the fourteenth possessor of the estate of Woodhey; and in him the direct male line of this ancient family terminated. The memory of private worth seldom survives the contemporaries of its possessors, but this is not the case with the Wilbrahams of Woodhey. Wherever it is possible to glance beyond genealogical deductions and obtain a knowledge of the individual representatives of the family, they appear to have been graced with every social virtue that could render rank endearing to their equals and venerated by their dependants, and their family is rarely noticed in the Cheshire collections without ardent expressions of regret and affection."—Ormerod's *Cheshire*, folio, London, 1819, vol. iii. p. 198.

In the descendants of the marriage of Mutton Davies and Elizabeth Wilbraham united the royal blood of Powys and Plantagenet, the former being paternally derived, through Cynric Efell, Lord of Eglwys Egle, younger son of Madoc ap Meredith, last Prince of Powys, from Rhodri Mawr, King of Wales, and the latter being grand-daughter, by Sir Richard Wilbraham of Woodhey, Bart., of Grace, sister of Thomas Viscount Savage, and daughter, by Sir John Savage, Knight (and Elizabeth daughter of Charles Somerset, 1st Earl of Worcester), of Lady Elizabeth Manners, daughter by Eleanor, daughter of Sir William Paston, Knight, of Thomas Manners, 1st Earl of Rutland and 13th Lord Ros, K.G., son, by George Manners, 12th Lord Ros, of Anne, daughter and heir, by Sir Thomas St. Leger, Knight, of Anne Plantagenet, sister of Edward IV. King of England, widow of Henry Holland, Duke of Exeter, and daughter by Cecily, daughter of Ralph Neville, Earl of Westmoreland of Richard Plantagenet, Duke of York, Protector of England, son and heir of Richard Plantagenet,

Earl of Cambridge (son and heir, by Isabel, youngest daughter and co-heir of Peter, King of Castile and Leon, of Edmund Langley, Duke of York, younger son of Edward III. King of England), and Anne, daughter and heir by Eleanora, daughter of Thomas, Earl of Kent of Roger Mortimer, 4th Earl of March, son, by Edmund Mortimer, 3d Earl of March, of Philippa Plantagenet, daughter and heiress by Lady Elizabeth de Burgh, daughter and heiress of William, Earl of Ulster of Lionel of Antwerp, Duke of Clarence, ancestor of the house of York, son of Edward III. King of England.

The arms of Wilbraham of Woodhey are,—*Ancient*, argent, three bends wavy, azure; *Modern*, azure, two bars argent. Both coats are generally borne quarterly.

By Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Wilbraham, Mr. Mutton Davies had, with younger issue, an eldest and a second son, viz.:—

- I. Robert Davies, Esq., of Gwysaney and Llanerch Park, High-Sheriff of Flintshire in 1704, born at Woodhey, 15th March, 1658, ancestor of the Davieses of Gwysaney, represented, as heir-general, by the present Philip Bryan Davies Cooke, Esq., of Owston, Havod-y-wern, and Gwysaney, thirty-seventh in descent from Charlemagne, thirty-third from Rhodri Mawr, King of Wales, and Alfred the Great, and twenty-sixth, through Anne Plantagenet, sister of Edward IV. of England and Edward III., from William the Conqueror.

- II. Thomas, transmitter of the eventual male line.

The second son,

Thomas Davies, Esq. was born at Woodhey, Thursday 8th, and baptized there 22d March, 1659. To him and his brother, Roger, their maternal grandmother, Elizabeth, Lady

Wilbraham, by her will dated 19th December, 1673, bequeathed an annuity for life; he was a legatee under the will of his father, dated 24th of October, 36 Charles II.; and a party, by the description of "Thomas Davies, second son of Mutton Davies and Elizabeth Davies of Gwysaney," to a settlement dated 3d July, 1685, made in pursuance of articles entered into previous to the marriage of his brother Robert Davies and Letitia, sister of John Vaughan, first Viscount Lisburne. Thomas Davies married, in 1687, Margaret, daughter of Owen Madoc, Gentleman, of the lineage of Tudor Trevor, Lord of Hereford, (whose bearings were, Per bend sinister, ermine and ermines, a lion rampant or), progenitor of the Mostyns of Mostyn, Co. Flint, Baronets, represented by the present (1857) Lord Mostyn. Thomas Davies left at his decease, in 1697, a son and heir, the Rev. Owen Davies, born 14th January, 1689, who married in 1714 Jane, daughter of William Lloyd, Esq., derived from Edwin, Lord of Tegaingl (*Arms*—Argent between four Cornish choughs, proper, armed gules, a cross flory, engrailed, sable,) and died in September, 1766, leaving an only son, Owen Davies, Esq., on whom the representation in the male line of the house of Gwysaney devolved upon the decease, unmarried, 9th March, 1785, of Robert Davies, Esq. of Gwysaney. He married, 9th September, 1756, Sarah, daughter of James Stockell, Gentleman, of Westbury, Co. Salop; died in 1805, and was succeeded by a son, Thomas Davies, Esq., seated at Trefynant, Co. Denbigh, born 8th November, 1757. This gentleman married Margaret, daughter by Elizabeth (daughter of Edward Hill of Salop,) of John Peploe of Peploe, Co. Salop.

The arms of Peploe are,—Azure, a chevron embattled and counter-embattled, between three bugle-horns, or.

By Margaret, who died 24th January, 1809, aged 49, Owen Davies had issue,—

- I. Thomas Davies, Esq., born 7th November, 1789; Lieutenant of Engineers H.E.I.C.S.; killed in action at Malligawm, in India, 18th May, 1818. He died unmarried. "This brave officer's career was short but brilliant; he had been foremost in almost every service of danger or destruction since his arrival in India in 1808. He had the honour of dismantling the French and hoisting the British colours under the fire of all the batteries in the capture of Bourbon. He was a volunteer in the attack on the Isle Depasse at Mauritius; and while conveying an order in an open boat to the Nereid from Captain Pym, she was sunk alongside the vessel; on that occasion he fell into the hands of the enemy, and was only released on the reduction of the Mauritius; since his return to India, in 1811, he has always been in the field; he was desperately wounded at Nagpore while leading a storming party to the breach; and received his death-wound in the act of repelling a sally in the trenches with a covering party, and while personally engaged with the enemy. In his death his country has met with an irreparable loss; and his brother-officers have lost an esteemed and respected soldier and friend. His military talents and acquirements as an engineer were of a stamp that placed him in the highest class of his profession; and his excellent and sound judgment aided a naturally quick and inventive genius in all his undertakings." — *Bombay Newspaper*. See also Princep's *British India*, p. 413, and the *Summary of the Mahratta and Pindarree Campaign*.

II. Owen, continuer of the line.

- I. Elizabeth, born 6th September, 1782; married 27th March, 1800, William Hughes, Esq. of Pen-y-Clawdd, Co. Denbigh, representative in the male line of the Hugheses of Gwerclas, in Edeirnion, Co. Merioneth, Lords of Kymmer-yn-Edeirnion and Barons of Edeirnion. Few families can establish a loftier lineage or deduce descent through more numerous stocks of historic distinction than this eminent house. Derived by uninterrupted lineal male succession from the chivalrous Owen Brogyntyn, Lord of Edeirnion, Dinmael and Abertanat in Powys, living 1165 and 1186, younger son of Madoc, last sovereign Prince of Powys, who died A.D. 1160, the existing (A.D. 1857) heir of the Hugheses deduces, through the Baronial Lords of Kymmer and the royal line of Powys, a genealogy of twenty-eight descents, extending over ten centuries, transmitted, in common with the lineage of the monarchs of North Wales and South Wales, from Rhodri Mawr, (the Great), renowned in the annals of the Cymri as the Egbert of his race, who, uniting the several states of North Wales, South Wales, and Powys, became King of all Wales, A.D. 843. The Hugheses of Gwerclas are, maternally, co-representatives of the three royal dynasties of Wales, through the marriage (13th August, 1615), of Humffrey Hughes, Esq. of Gwerclas, Lord of Kymmer and a Baron of Edeirnion, with Magdalen, daughter and heiress of John Rogers-Wynn, Esq. of Bryntangor, Co. Denbigh, derived from Ellis ap Griffith of Gwyddelwern, in Edeirnion, Co. Merioneth, younger son, by Griffith ap Einion of

Corsygedol, Co. Merioneth, of Lowrie, daughter and heir of Tudor, Lord of Gwyddelwern, upwards of twenty-four years old, 3rd Sept. 1386, and slain 11th March, 1405 (brother, and in his issue, eventual heir of the memorable Owen Glyndwyr), son of Griffith Vychan ap Griffith, Lord of Glyndwr in Edeirion, Co. Merioneth, male representative of the Sovereigns of Powys, by the Lady Eleanor eldest daughter and coheir of Thomas ap Llewellyn, last Lord of South Wales, representative of the Sovereigns of South Wales, by the Lady Eleanor, daughter and heiress, by Philip ap Ivor, Lord of Iscoed, of the Princess Catherine, daughter and heir of Llewellyn ap Griffith, last Prince of North Wales, slain at Builth, 11th December, 1282. Thus sprung paternally from the royal lineage of Powys, and co-representatives of the three sovereign dynasties of North Wales, South Wales, and Powys, the descendants of the marriage of Elizabeth Davies and Mr. Hughes inherit, through the Wilbrahams of Woodhey, Baronets, the blood of Edward III. of England; of Charlemagne, Emperor of the West; Alfred the Great; Malcolm Canmore, King of Scotland; and the Kings of Castile and Leon.

The arms of Hughes of Gwerclas are those of the Sovereign Princes of Powys, viz.: Argent, a lion rampant sable, armed and langued, gules ("The Black Lion of Powys").

Crest—A demi-lion rampant, sable, armed and langued, gules, issuing out of a ducal coronet.

Motto—*Bymmer yn Edeirion.*

Supporters—Dexter, a lion rampant sable armed and

langued, gules,—“The Black Lion of Powys;” sinister, a dragon, gules, with wings displayed,—the cognizance of the Sovereigns of Wales.

By Mr. Hughes, who died 18th January, 1836, and was buried within Gayton Church, Elizabeth his wife, who died at Maida Hill, Co. Middlesex, 4th April, 1844, and was buried within Gayton Church, had issue,—

1. William Hughes, Esq., sometime seated at Gayton Mansion, Co. Northampton; representative in the male line of the Hugheses of Gwerclas, Lords of Kymmer and Barons of Edeirnion, educated at the University of Edinburgh. Born 18th April, 1801, Mr. Hughes married at Weaverham, Co. Chester, 11th July, 1835, Eliza Anne, daughter of William Henry Worthington, Esq. of Sandiway Bank, Co. Chester, sometime an officer in the Royal Horse Guards (Blue). Derived in the male line from ancestors established in high repute in the palatinate of Lancaster, from the time of the Plantagenets, the Worthingtons of Ashton Hayes and Sandiway Bank represent through an heiress of a branch of the princely line of O'Farral of Annaly, the eminent house of Dod of the Lower Hall, of Broxton, and branches of many of the most distinguished families of the North of England, including Norreys of Speke, the parent stock of the Earls of Abingdon; Molyneux of Crosby, a scion of the noble house of Sefton; Villiers of Crosby, a senior branch of the ducal stem of Buckingham,

and the baronial line of Harrington. They are also co-representatives of the potent palatine Earls of Chester.

The arms of Worthington are,—Argent, three dung-forks, sable.

By Eliza Anne his wife, Mr. Hughes has had issue,—

- a.* William O'Farrel Hughes, of Emmanuel College, Cambridge, 1857, born at Nancy, Lorraine, France, 18th February, 1838, heir-presumptive in the male line of the house of Gwerclas.
 - b.* Frances Elisabeth Margaretta Hughes, born at Gayton Mansion, 27th June, 1836.
2. Thomas Hughes, M.D., Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians, educated at the University of Edinburgh, and subsequently Gentleman Commoner of St. Peter's College, Cambridge; born 22d August, 1803.
 3. John Hughes, Esq. of Cleveland Row, St. James's, Westminster, and of the Inner Temple, Barrister-at-Law, educated at the University of Edinburgh; born 6th October, 1805; married at Llanferres, Co. Denbigh, 5th July, 1832, his kinswoman, Dorothea, eldest surviving daughter of Richard Hughes Lloyd, Esq. of Plymog, Co. Denbigh; Gwerclas and Kymmer, Co. Merioneth; and Bashall, Co. York. Among the eminent families illustrating the rolls of Cambrian genealogy, few challenge higher con-

sideration than the Lloyds of Plymog, who in antiquity vie with the most ancient houses in the kingdom. Paternally they derive, with the royal house of Tudor; the Williams-Bulkeleys of Penrhyn and Baron Hill, Baronets; Williamses of Vaenol, Baronets; Griffiths of Burton Agnes, Baronets; Lords Mostyn, and other distinguished Welsh families, through Ednyfed Vychan, Lord of Brynffeniogl, living in the earlier part of the twelfth century, from Marchudd ap Cynan, Lord of Brynffeniogl in Denbighland, Founder of the VIIIth noble Tribe of North Wales and Powys, who flourished in the middle of the ninth century; while, through heiresses, they represent several eminent houses, including the Hugheses of Gwerclas, Lords of Kymmer and Barons of Edeirnion; the Coldcoates, branch of the Lancashire Walmsleys; a younger branch of the Ferrerses, Earls of Derby; as also the knightly and historic Talbots of Bashall, senior stem of the great house of Shrewsbury.

The arms of Lloyd of Plymog are those of Ednyfed Vychan, Lord of Brynffeniogl, viz.:—Gules, a chevron ermine, between three Englishmen's heads, couped at the neck, in profile, proper, bearded and crined sable.

By Dorothea his wife, who died in Cleveland Row, St. James's, 27th of January, 1848, and was buried within Gayton Church, Mr. John Hughes has one child,—

a. Talbot de Bashall Hughes, born at Gay-

ton Mansion, 15th December, 1836 ; Ensign Cape Mounted Riflemen, who descending paternally from the heirs-male, derives, through his mother, from the heirs-general, of the Hugheses of Gwerclas, Barons of Kymmer-yn-Edeirnion.

4. Edward Hughes, born 15th May, 1807 ; died 12th January, 1808.

Thomas Davies died 24th January, 1840, and was succeeded by his second son and eventual heir,—

Owen Davies, Esq., sometime seated at Chilwell Hall, Co. Nottingham, and subsequently at Eton House, Co. Kent, present representative in the male line of the house of Gwysaney, thirty-sixth in descent from Charlemagne, Emperor of the West ; thirty-second from Rhodri Mawr, King of Wales, and Alfred the Great ; and twenty-fifth, through Anne Plantagenet, sister of Edward IV. of England, and Edward III., from William the Conqueror. Born 4th November, 1796, Mr. Davies married 4th November, 1826, Frederica Wilhelmina, daughter of Samuel Cutler Hooley, Esq. (who died in his father's lifetime) only child of James Hooley, Esq. of Woodthorpe, Co. Nottingham, a Deputy Lieutenant of that Shire, and Major of the Nottingham Volunteers.

The arms of Hooley are, — Barry of six, or and gules.

By this lady Mr. Davies has had issue,—

1. Owen Davies, Lieutenant 11th Foot, heir-presumptive in the male line of the house of Gwy-

saney. Born 1st March, 1831, he married, 10th January, 1854, Jane, daughter of John MacLaine, Esq., of the Isle of Mull, Co. Argyle, a cadet of the house of MacLaine of Lochbuy, in that island, whose lineage is traced through ancestors prominent in the warfare and history of the Gaël, to Gillise Mac Gilloin, companion-in-arms of Robert Bruce on the patriot field of Bannockburn, son of Gilleoin, a man of rank and distinction, who was cotemporary with King Alexander III. of Scotland, and fought under the standard of that monarch at the battle of Largs.

The arms of MacLaine are,—Argent, a lion rampant, gules.

By this daughter of the house of MacLaine Mr. Owen Davies has had issue,—

- a.* Owen Mytton Davies, born 10th Nov. 1854.
 - b.* Mary Constance Davies, born 1st Nov. 1856.
2. Thomas Davies, Ensign 11th Foot, born 2nd February, 1833.
1. Margaret, born 4th Sept. 1827; married 11th July, 1850, Michael-Joseph-Charles Rippert, of Paris, Avocat attaché à la Cour de Cassation, and by him has had issue,—
 - a.* Charles-Frédéric-Amadée Rippert, born 12th July, 1854.
 - b.* Marie-Marguerite-Caroline-Jeanne Rip-

pert, born 18th Sept. 1851; died 2nd July, 1853.

c. Marie-Amadée Rippert, born 3d July, 1853, and died the same day.

2. Mary Hooley, born 12th May, 1829; married 16th August, 1853, the Vicomte Jean-Baptiste-Amable de Montaignac de Chauvance, third son (by Demoiselle Anne de Raffin, daughter of the Comte de Raffin de la Raffinie d'Auterive, Seigneur de la Jourdanie, Officer of the Guards of Louis XVI., King of France,) of the Vicomte Raymond-Aimé de Montaignac de Chauvance, younger son (by Demoiselle Marie-Elisabeth Perrot, Seigneur d'Estivareilles, daughter of Jean-Raymond Perrot, Seigneur d'Estivareilles, Chatelain de Tyson,) of Amable de Montaignac, Comte de Montaignac de Chauvance and de la Rochebriant, Chevalier de St. Louis, representative of the ancient and distinguished house of De Montaignac. "Cette maison,—dont le nom s'écrit aussi Montagnac, et se rencontre dans les anciens actes sous ces différentes formes de Montiniaco, de Montaniaco, de Montenliaco (XII^e siècle), et plus tard de Montaignat, de Montagnat et de Montaniat,—est de la plus ancienne noblesse du Limousin et de la Marche. Elle tire son nom de la seigneurie de Montaignac, paroisse de Saint-Hyppolite, diocèse de Limoges, et a possédé plus de vingt autres fiefs considérables, la plupart titrés. Elle ne s'est

pas moins distinguée par ses services militaires que par ses alliances avec la plus pure noblesse du royaume, alliances parmi lesquelles elle en compte plusieurs avec la maison royale de France. Au nombre des personnages qui ont particulièrement illustré le nom de Montaignac, nous citerons un chevalier croisé en 1096, deux autres chevaliers à la première croisade de Saint Louis en 1249 et 1250, deux capitaines de cent hommes d'armes au moyen-âge, un maréchal général des logis, un mestre de camp, trois colonels et un grand nombre d'officiers supérieurs de toutes armes. — Un gouverneur de Milan, un lieutenant au gouvernement du Languedoc, un ambassadeur en Portugal, un chambellan et plusieurs gentilshommes de la maison du roi, des officiers de la marine royale, un grand nombre de chevaliers de Saint-Louis. Il est peu de familles en France qui aient donné autant de dignitaires à l'ordre de Malte. MM. de Montaignac y compte en effet un grand maréchal et gouverneur de Malte, grand prieur d'Auvergne, qui fut élu grand maître, et refusa cette suprême dignité, un autre maréchal de l'ordre, neuf commandeurs et huit chevaliers. Cette maison compte aussi un chevalier des ordres du roi reçu en 1666. La maison de Montaignac, qui était déjà illustre au X^{me} siècle, a été admise aux honneurs de la cour à la fin du siècle dernier."

The arms of De Montaignac are,—“ De

sable au sautoir d'argent accompagné de quatre molettes d'éperon d'or.

“ L'écu timbré d'un casque taré de front armé de ses lambrequins, ayant pour cimier un lion de gueules tenant de la pate dextre une épée d'argent garnie d'or.

“ *Supports* — Deux griffons tenant chacun une bannière de sable au sautoir d'argent.

“ *Devise* — ‘Pro fide et patriâ.’ ”

(Vide *Généalogie de la Maison de Montaignac, dressée par Cherin, Généalogiste des Ordres de la Maison du Roi, et Conservée au Cabinet des Titres de la Bibliothèque Royale.*)

Of the marriage of Mary Hooley Davies and the Vicomte Jean-Baptiste-Amable de Montaignac there has been issue,—

- a. The Chevalier Raymond-Amable de Montaignac de Chauvance, born 25th May, died 22nd October, 1854.
- b. The Chevalier Louis de Montaignac de Chauvance, born 3rd December, 1855.
3. Frederica Davies, born 14th October, 1836, died 1st March, 1846.

Descent, Maternally, of the Families of Allanson of Middleton Quernhow, and Dod of Cloverley, from that of Davies of Gwysaney.

Robert Davies of Gwysaney and Llanerch Park, Esq., High-Sheriff for Flintshire, (son and heir, by Letitia, sister of

John first Viscount Lisburne, of Robert Davies of Gwysaney and Llanerch Park, Esq., son and heir of Mutton Davies of Gwysaney and Llanerch Park, Esq.) who was born at Llanerch on the 2d and baptized on the 16th September, 1684, married 10th November, 1713, Anne, daughter of John Brockholes of Claughton Hall, Co. Lancaster, Esq. (*vide* page 89), by the daughter and heiress of William Barcroft of Barcroft, in the same county, Esq. Their settlement is dated 2d September, 34 Charles II. By this lady, who was buried at Mold, 16th June, 1764, Robert Davies, who died at Bath, 22d May, and was buried at Mold, 3d June, 1728, had issue,—

I. Robert Davies of Gwysaney and Llanerch Park, Esq., born September 8, 1715; married (settlement dated 3d and 4th October, 1737,) Letitia, daughter of Broughton Whitehall of Broughton, Co. Flint, Esq., and younger surviving sister and coheir of Broughton Whitehall, Esq. of Broughton (*vide* page 91). By this lady, who died in childbirth, and was buried at Mold, 2d September, 1745, Mr. Davies, whose will was dated 8th May, 1748, and who was buried 28th November, 1763, had issue,—

1. John Davies of Gwysaney and Llanerch Park, Esq. He died intestate, æt. 48, the 9th, and was buried at Mold, 27th March, 1785, and was succeeded by his two surviving sisters and coheirs.
2. Robert Watkin Davies, buried at Mold, 20th June, 1739.
1. Letitia, who obtained as her share of her brother's property the estate of Llanerch, married (settlement previous to marriage dated 21st June,

1786,) Daniel Leo, Esq., of the city of Bath, and died without issue. She devised her possessions to her cousin, Anne Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Peter Davies, and wife of the Rev. George Allanson.

2. Mary.

Mr. Robert Davies, whose will was dated 31st March, 1716, was buried at Mold, 28th November, 1763.

The second daughter,

Mary Davies, who succeeded to Gwysaney, married Philip Puleston of Hafod-y-Wern, Co. Denbigh, Esq., Chamberlain of North Wales, (settlement previous to marriage dated 2d November, 1764,) derived, through John Puleston of Hafod-y-Wern, Esq., born in 1658, from John Puleston of Hafod-y-Wern, Esq., High-Sheriff of the County of Denbigh, A.D. 1544, son, by Alswyn Vechan, daughter of Howel ap Evan of Bersham, Co. Denbigh, by Alswyn, daughter and heiress of Howel ap Grono of Hafod-y-Wern, of John Puleston, who died A.D. 1461, eldest son of Madoc Puleston (1413), second son of Robert Puleston of Emral, slain 1 Henry IV., by Lowrie, sister of Owen ap Griffith Vychan, Lord of Glyndwr (the memorable Owen Glyndwr), and daughter of Griffith Vychan, Lord of Glyndwr, representative paternally of the Sovereigns of Powys, and maternally of those of North Wales and South Wales. By Philip Puleston, whose will is dated 1775, and who was buried 10th April, 1776, the heiress of Gwysaney, (she was party to the marriage settle-

ment of her daughter, of 16th December, 1786,) who was buried 22d September, 1802, had an only daughter and heiress,

Frances Puleston, of Hafod-y-Wern and of Gwysaney, married at Wrexham, Co. Denbigh, 18th December, 1786, (settlement dated 16th December, 1786,) Bryan Cooke of Owston, Co. York, Esq., M.P., great-grandson of Sir Henry Cooke of Wheatley, 2d Baronet. By this gentleman, who died 8th November, 1821, the heiress of Hafod-y-Wern and Gwysaney, who died at Owston on the 1st, and was buried in the chancel of Owston Church on the 8th January, 1818, (her will is dated 19th September, 1812,) had, with junior issue, a son and heir,

Philip Davies Cooke, Esq. of Owston, Hafod-y-Wern, and Gwysaney, father of the present Philip Bryan Davies Cooke, Esq., of Owston, Hafod-y-Wern, and Gwysaney.

- II. John Davies, born at Chester, 5th February, 17 $\frac{1}{2}$ ⁰, living 18th March, 1739, the date of a release from him, by the description of John Davies, Esq., second son of Robert Davies, for 1750*l.*, his portion charged upon the real estate of Robert Davies; and living 31st March, 1760, the date of the will of his brother Robert; party with his brother Peter, by the description of John Davies, Esq. of London, to a release dated 25th June, 1772, for the portions provided for them out of the

real estate of their father; described in an indenture of 12th November, 1785, as John Davies of Twickenham, Co. Middlesex, Esq.; and living 19th September, 1802, the date of the will of his niece Mary, widow of Philip Puleston.

III. Richard Davies, born at Preston, 31st October, 1720.

IV. Peter Davies, of whom presently.

I. Anne Davies, born at Chester, 2d September, 1717.

II. Mary, born at Chester, 2d June, 1722; unmarried 15th June, 1743, when, by the description of Mary Davies, spinster, one of the younger children of Robert Davies, she gave a release of all sums due to her from Ann Davies, widow and executrix of Robert Davies. She married Robert Hughes of Halkin Hall, Co. Flint, Esq. (living 31st March, 1760, the date of the will of Robert Davies, and then his brother-in-law, and 25th of June, 1772, the date of a release from him and Mary his wife, as one of the daughters of Robert Davies, of her portion), and had a son,—

Robert Hughes of Halkin Hall, Esq., Colonel of the Flintshire Militia, witness of a release of 25th June, 1772. He died s. p. 1803.

III. Elizabeth Davies, born at Chester, 15th November, 1726, living unmarried, 30th November, 1747, when she gave a release similar to that of her sister Mary; and dead 27th June, 1772, the date of a release from Charles Mainwaring, Esq., “executor of Elizabeth Davies, daughter of Robert Davies.”

The fourth son,

Peter Davies, of Broughton, Co. Flint, Esq., born at Chester, 19th November, 1723, gave a release, dated 29th January, 1744,

similar to that given by his brother John ; was living 31st March, 1760, the date of the will of his brother Robert ; was party, by the description of Peter Davies of Broughton, Co. Flint, Esq., to the settlement dated 2d November, 1764, of Mary Davies and Philip Puleston ; and also party with his brother John to a release, dated 25th June, 1772, for the portions provided for them out of the real estate of their father. He married Elizabeth, elder surviving sister and (with her sisters, Letitia, wife of Robert Davies, Esq. of Gwysaney and Llanerch, and Mary, wife of Robert Dod, Esq. of Cloverley) coheir of Broughton Whitehall of Broughton, Co. Flint, Esq., son and heir by Letitia, daughter of Robert Davies, Esq. of Gwysaney and Llanerch, of John Whitehall, Esq. of Broughton (derived from William Whitehall and Philpota his wife, living temp. Richard II.), by Mary his wife, daughter of Sir Andrew Hacket of Moxhull Park, Co. Warwick, Knt., by Mary his first wife, sole heir of the Right Rev. Joseph Henshaw, D.D. Bishop of Peterborough. By this lady Peter Davies had issue one son and one daughter, viz.—

The Rev. Whitehall Whitehall Davies of Broughton, who died unmarried, 11th June, 1824, ætat 60, and was buried at Worthenbury, Co. Flint, where there is a monument to his memory. *Vide* page 96.

Anne Elizabeth, continuer of the line.

The daughter of Peter Davies, viz.—

Anne Elizabeth Davies, of Broughton and Llanerch, to the former of which estates she succeeded as sole heiress of her brother, and to the latter under the will of her cousin, Mrs. Leo of Llanerch, elder sister and coheir of John Davies Esq. of Gwysaney and Llanerch. This lady married, 10th November, 1794, the Rev. George Allanson of Middleton Quern-

how, Co. York, Prebend of Ripon and Rector of Hodnet, Co. Salop, born 1759, and by this gentleman had issue,—

1. George Allanson, present representative.
2. Cuthbert Allanson, died 1817, æt. 13.
1. Elizabeth, who married, 18th November, 1822, John Whitehall Dod of Cloverley, Co. Salop, Esq. M.P. for the Northern Division of Shropshire, born 17th September, 1797, derived from John Dod, living temp. Richard II., younger brother of Thomas Dod of Edge, Co. Chester, temp. Edward III. Mr. Dod is representative, paternally, of Dod of Cloverley, and co-representative (with George Allanson, Esq. of Middleton Quernhow, and Philip Bryan Davies Cooke, Esq. of Owston,) of Davies of Broughton. Mrs. Dod died 22d April, 1837, leaving an only son and heir,—

- a. Whitehall Dod, Esq., late of the 6th Dragoons, heir-apparent, paternally, of Dod of Cloverley; heir-presumptive, maternally, of Allanson of Middleton Quernhow; and presumptive co-representative (with Philip Bryan Davies Cooke, Esq. of Owston, and with his father, John Whitehall Dod, Esq.) of Davies of Broughton, Whitehall of Broughton, Whitehall of Whitehall, and Broughton of Broughton; born 2d September, 1823; married, at Brompton, Co. York, 24th August, 1852, Emma Matilda,

daughter of Lieutenant-General Sir Henry Maghull Mervin Vavasour, of Spaldington, Co. York, Baronet.

2. Dorothy, who married 8th July, 1830, Digby Cayley, Esq., born 13th March, 1807, eldest son and heir of Sir George Cayley of Brompton, Co. York, 6th Baronet, and has had issue,—

a. George Allanson Cayley.

b. Digby Cayley.

c. Reginald Arthur Cayley.

a. Sarah Cayley, died young.

b. Dora Cayley,

Mr. John Whitehall Dod, married, secondly, 1st July, 1841, Anne Caroline, daughter of the Venerable Archdeacon Wrangham.

Mr. Allanson died 1st December, 1826. Mrs. Allanson was succeeded by the present—

George Allanson, Esq., of Middleton Quernhow, Broughton, and Llanerch Park, born 6th September, 1796; representative, paternally, of Allanson of Middleton Quernhow, and co-representative (with Philip Bryan Davies Cooke, Esq. of Owston) of Davies of Broughton and Whitehall of Broughton.

A 14.

There is a place called Brockholes, in the Hundred of Amounderness in Lancashire; and in Baines's *History* of that county, at page 372, vol. iv., may be found the following, viz.:—

“In the 38th year of the reign of Henry III. Roger de Brochol married Mabil, sister of Huctred de Bradsae, who gave him lands in frank marriage, situate in Bradsae. His great grandson, Adam de Brochol, living 23 Edward III., had a son Nicholas, lord of Brockholls, who gave the manor of Brockholes in trust, 20 Richard II. and 2 Henry IV., and who left two daughters, his co-heiresses; one married to Thomas, father of Nicholas Singleton, of Brockholes; and Margaret, the eldest, married to Roger de Ethelston, of Ribbleton. Of this family, but probably descended from the second son of Roger and Mabil, was Roger de Brockholes, knight of the shire in 50 Edward III. The manor of Brockholes, and a capital messuage, named Brockehall Hall, became the property of the Singletons; while the Elstons had an estate called Brockholl, within the township of Elston. Robert Singleton, of Brockholes, was living in 1613.”

“In the 32d year of the reign of Edward the Third, Alena wife of Roger Brockholes, had lands in Claughton.”

Vide page 590, vol. iv. of Baines's *History of Lancashire*.

“A Roger de Brockholes was knight of the Shire in the 50th year of Edward the Third.”

Vide Ibid., vol. iv. page 372.

“Barcroft, in the Hundred of Blackburn, was the property of a family of the same name until 1688, when Thomas—query, William?—Barcroft died, leaving several daughters, of whom Elizabeth (or Magdalen, according to Ormerod) married Henry Bradshaw, of Marple, nephew to the celebrated President Bradshaw, and the purchaser of Bradshaw Hall in this county in the year 1693.”

Vide page 266, vol. iii. of the same.

A 15.

John Whitehall of Broughton, Esq., ætatis 3 ann. 2nd April, 1663, was the son of Rowland Whitehall of Lockwood, in the Parish of Kingsley, Co. Stafford, Esq., ætatis 43 ann. 2nd April, 1663, by Elizabeth his wife, daughter and heir of John Broughton of Broughton, Co. Flint, Esq., derived from Tudor Trevor, Lord of Hereford.

Arms of Broughton—1st and 4th, Ermine, a lion rampant sable, armed and langued gules; 2d and 3d., Per bend sinister, ermine and ermines, a lion rampart or, the latter being the ancient coat of Tudor Trevor, Lord of Hereford.

Elizabeth Whitehall, who married Peter Davies, Esq., and Mary Whitehall, who married Robert Dod of Cloverley, Esq., and Letitia, who married Robert Davies of Gwysaney, Esq., were the issue of Broughton Whitehall of Broughton, Esq., and of Letitia his wife, daughter of Robert Davies of Llanerch and Gwysaney.

Broughton was son of John Whitehall, ætatis 3 ann. April 2nd, 1663, by Susanna his wife, ætatis 10 ann. 2nd April, 1663.

John Whitehall was the son of Rowland Whitehall of Lockwood, in the Parish of Kingsley, Co. Stafford; ætatis 43, 2nd April, 1663, by Elizabeth, daughter of John Broughton of Broughton, Co. Flint, Esq.

John Whitehall was son of Richard Whitehall of Whitechurch, Co. Salop, Esq., by Elizabeth, daughter and heir of Randle Taylor of Whitechurch, Co. Salop, Esq.

Richard Whitehall was son of Robert Whitehall of Sharpcliffe, Co. Stafford, buried at Ipstones, 1642, ætatis 89, by Dorothy, daughter of Thomas Henshaw of Lockwood, Co. Stafford, Esq.

Robert Whitehall was son of James Whitehall, who died 1586, by Ann, daughter of Whitehalgh of Whitehalgh, in the Parish of Ipstones, Co. Stafford, Esq.

James Whitehall was son of Robert Whitehall, who was living 14th Henry VII., by Grace, daughter of Fitzherbert of Tissington, Co. Derby, Esq.

Robert Whitehall was son of James Whitehall, who was living 9th Edward IV., by Margaret, daughter and heir of Henry Sharpcliffe of Sharpcliffe, in the Parish of Ipstones, Co. Stafford, Esq.

James Whitehall was son of John Whitehall, who was living 18th Henry VI., by Alice, daughter of — Tillington.

John Whitehall was son of Robert Whitehall, who was living 1st Henry V., by Agnes daughter of —

Robert Whitehall was son of William Whitehall, by Philippota, daughter of —

Elizabeth Broughton, who married Roland Whytehall son of Richard Whitehall of Whitchurch, Esq., was daughter of John Broughton of Broughton, Esquire, by Susanna, daughter of Edward Bellof of Moreton and Burton, Esq., and of Amie, daughter and heir of Anthony Grosvenor of Dodleston, Esquire. — Azure, a garb erected in pale, or, with a chief for difference.

John Broughton was son of Randle Broughton by Jane, daughter of — Puleston of Emral, Esquire, son of Sir Ed-

ward Puleston, who was son of Sir Roger Puleston, Knight of the body to Henry VIII., and obiit A. D. 1544.—Sable, three mullets, argent.

Randle Broughton was son of John Broughton of Broughton, Esquire, by Margaret, daughter of William Williams of Coch-Willân, Esq. — Gules, a chevron argent between three men's heads, half-faced, and necks coupéd proper.

John Broughton was son of Randle Broughton of Broughton by Margaret, daughter and heir of Ddavid ap Ellis Eyton of Ruabon. — Ermine, a lion rampant, azure. This Randle Broughton was living 15th Henry VII.

Randle Broughton was son of Iorwerth Goch by Alis, daughter of Randle Broughton of Malpas, Esq. — Argent, two barrs sable. Obiit Iorwerth Goch ap Ednyved 17th October, A. D. 1496.

Iorwerth Goch was son of Ednyved by Angharad, daughter of Robert ap Gryffith ap Madoc ap Ednyvet Goch of Bersham.—Ermine, a lion passant guardant, gules.

Ednyved was son of Madoc by Angharad, daughter and heir of Iorwerth Voel of Burton.—Vert, a lion rampant, or.

Madoc was son of Gryffith Ddû by Margaret, daughter of Meredyth of Plas-Maen in Hopedale. — Pale of eight, or and gules.

Gryffith Ddû was son of Gryffith Goch, who was son of Llewelyn Goch by Letitia, daughter of Sir Richard Mandley, Knight.—Argent, a dexter hand coupéd at the wrist, sable.

Llewelyn Goch was son of Ednyved Gyr by Sioned, daughter of Rys Vychan ap Rys Michell ap Iorwerth ap Rysgryg, Lord of Ystrad-tywi. — Gules, a lion rampant and a border engrailed, or.

Ednyved Gryg was son of Tudyr by Agnes, daughter of

Llewelyn Aurdorchog, Lord of Yale. — Azure, a lion passant guardant, or.

Tudyr was son of Ednyved by Gwladis, daughter of Alldud ap Owen ap Edwin, Lord of Tegengl. — Argent, a cross engrained flory, with four crowes, sable.

Ednyved was son of Kynric ap Rhiwallon by Judy, daughter of Ifor Hen, Lord of Rô's. He was slain A.D. 1073. Vide *Chronicle* Dominus Powel, page 112. — Argent, a rose gules, bearded and seeded, for the Lord of Rô's aforesaid.

This Kynric ap Rhiwallon altered his paternal coat, and took — Ermine, a lion rampant, sable; and was son of Rhiwallon by Lettitia, daughter of Cadwalader ap Peredir Goch. — Or, a lion rampant with border engrailed, gules.

Rhiwallon was son of Dyngad by Cicely, daughter of Severus ap Cadivor ap Gwenwynwyn, Prince of Buellt. — Gules, a lion rampant regardant, or. This Dyngad, by the tenure of gavel-kind, halved with his brother Lluddocka the lands and possessions of their father, Tudyr Trevor, in both Maylors, Oswestry, and Chirkland. Their elder brother, Grono, had allotted to him the honours of Hereford, Ergain, and Ewyas.

“Tudyr Trevor, Earl of Hereford, who had possessions in both Maylors, and Chirkland, and Oswestry, was son of Ynyr ap Cadvarch, Lord of Whittington, Ergain, and Ewyas ap Gwynau ap Gwarddgar ap Bywyn ap Gwiriawn ap Gwirlawr ap Gwyon ap Gwynfiw ap Kyngon ap Cadideirnllig, usque ad Vortiger, that was King of England A.D. 448, (saith Richard —'s *Chronicle*); and from the said King Vortiger, by George Owen Harris's book of the *Genealogy of King James of Great Britain*, the same line is continued ascending up to Noah, and so by Genesis, cap. v., to Adam; the said Ynyr ap

Cadvarch married Riegar, daughter and heir of Lluddocka ap Kariadog Vreichfras, Earl of Hereford, descended from another Cariadoc Vreichfras, one of the Knights of the Round Table to King Arthur, and by her had issue the aforesaid Tudyr Trevor."

Tudyr Trevor married Anghaad, daughter of Howel-dda, King of Wales, who bore for his coat armour Gules, a lion rampant and a border indented, or, and by her had issue.

Obiit Howel-dda A.D. 948. Sic per the *Chronicle* of David Powel, vicar de Ruabon.

Tudyr Trevor bore for his coat armour, Parted per bend sinister ermine and ermines, over all a lion rampant, or.

The coat of Cariadoc Vreichfras was Azure, a lion rampant parted per fesse, or and argent, all within a plain border of the last. By some the border is charged with an entoyre of annulets, but by most it is omitted.

Vide Pedigree of Broughton of Broughton in the possession of John Whitehall Dod, Esq. M.P., of Cloverley.

Copy of two inscriptions on monuments in Worthenbury Church, near Wrexham:—

"Underneath lieth the body of Broughton Whitehall, Esq., eldest son of John Whitehall of Broughton, Esq., by Mary his wife, eldest daughter of Sir Andrew Hacket, in the county of Warwick, Knight.

"He married Lætitia, eldest daughter of Robert Davies of Llanerch, in the county of Denbigh, Esq., by Lætitia, eldest daughter of Edward Vaughan of Trawscoed, in the county of Cardigan, Esq., by whom he had issue one son and five daughters. He was possessed of all the qualities and accomplishments by nature and education which form and adorn the Gentleman, and

exemplary in the discharge of the several duties of husband, parent, magistrate, and friend. His conversation was ‘sprightly, innocent and instructed.’ To sum up so amiable a character in a few words, he was what all men should be and few men are. He died September 19th, 1734, aged 49.

“This monument is devoted to his memory by Lætitia, his mournful and disconsolate Relict.”

“Sacred to the memory of Whitehall Whitehall Davies of Broughton, in this parish, and of Llanerch, in the county of Denbigh, C.L.K., only son of Peter, the third son of Robert Davies of Llanerch, Esq., and of Elizabeth, the second daughter of Broughton Whitehall of Broughton, Esq. He died 11th June, 1824, in the sixtieth year of his age.”

The Right Reverend John Hacket, D.D. was consecrated at Lambeth Bishop of Lichfield and Coventry, in December 1661, and continued bishop thereof until he died, the 21st October, 1670, in the 79th year of his age, leaving issue. His son and heir, Sir Andrew Hacket, Knight, married first, Mary, daughter of the Right Reverend Joseph Henshaw, Bishop of Peterborough, by whom he had one daughter, Mary. He married, secondly, Mary, daughter and heir of John Lisle of Moxhull Park, Co. Warwick, Esq., by whom he had issue three sons and three daughters; namely, Lisle, Andrew, and John; Elizabeth, Bridget, and Catherine.

The pedigree of Bishop Hacket's family, derived from Andrew Hacket, or Halket, of Pitferron, in Scotland, including the Bishop's descendants, is recorded in the Visitation of

Warwick made in 1683, and may be seen at the College of Arms.

By his will, dated 9th January, 1665, to which there is a codicil dated 31st August, 1669, it appears that he bequeathed his manors of Mufeild and of Bonningham Hall, Co. Suffolk, to his eldest son, Sir Andrew Hacket, Knight; and his books in his library to his "Alma Mater," the University of Cambridge, for its public library.

There is a handsome monument to his memory in Lichfield Cathedral, erected by his son and heir, Sir Andrew Hacket, Knight.

On a monument in Wishaw Church, in which parish Moxhull Park is situated, is this inscription:—

"Sir Andrew Hacket, Knight, one of the Masters in Chancery, died 19th March, 1709, aged 80 years."

Vide Sir William Dugdale's *Antiquities of Warwickshire*, of which the first edition was published about 1656, and the last in 1730.

Arms of Hacket of Moxhull Park, and of Moor Hall, Co. Warwick—Sable, three piles conjoined in base, argent, on a chief gules a lion passant guardant, or.

Crest—A falcon's head erased, proper.

Supporters—Two falcons proper, jessed and belted, or.

Motto—"Fides sufficit."

Vide Shaw's *History of the Antiquities of Staffordshire*. 1798. Vol. i. pp. 243–250.

The family of Sir Andrew Hacket, or Halket, Knight, derived from Halket of Pitferron Castle, Co. Fife, and that of

Lisle of Moxhull Park, Co. Warwick, is now represented by Francis Bynon Hacket, of Moor Hall, Co. Warwick, Esq.

Vide page 243, vol. i. of Shaw's *History and Antiquities of Staffordshire*.

“Immediately after the happy Restoration, that champion of the Church, Doctor John Hacket, was preferred to the bishoprick of Lichfield and Coventry. He was appointed in 1661, and in December of that year consecrated at Lambeth. He resided some time at London, and in the beginning of 1662 came down to Lichfield, where he found his Cathedral church in a state better conceived than described; 2000 shot of great ordnance and 1500 hand-grenadoes having been discharged against it. The honour of restoring it to its former splendour and magnificence was reserved for this worthy bishop. The very morning after his arrival at Lichfield, he roused his servants by break of day, set his own coach-horses, with teams, and hired labourers to remove the rubbish, and laid the first hand to the work he meditated. By his large contributions, the benefactions of the dean and chapter, and the money arising from his assiduity in soliciting the aid of every gentleman in the diocese, and almost every stranger that visited the church, he is said to have raised several thousand pounds. In eight years he restored the beauty of the cathedral to the admiration of the country. He consecrated the church with great pomp and solemnity, composing a suitable service for the occasion, selected from ancient rituals.”

Vide page 250, vol. i. of Shaw's *History of Staffordshire*.

“In the Lady Chapel is the monument of Bishop Hacket, and thereon this inscription:—

‘Johannis Hacket,
Epis. Lichf. et Coventr. cineribus sacrum
primævæ pietatis

et summæ eloquentiæ præsulem,
 ecclesiæ Anglicanæ et fidei orthodoxæ
 assertorem strenuum,
 concionatorem etiam ad ultimum assiduum,
 et

Superstitionis Babylonice tam maturum hostem,
 ut pene in cunis straverit loyalitas :

(Raro exemplo
 ut poeta præluderet theologo)
 vitæ denique integritate et innocentia,
 morum suavitate et candore,
 caritate erga pauperes eximiâ,
 et liberalitate erga suos insignem typum ;
 (verbo omnia)

Joh. Williams metropol. Ebor. patroni sus Ectypum
 (define ulterius quærere)

ista omnia tabula hæc unico in Hacketo exhibet,
 adversus positum cætera marmor habet.

Obiit 21 Oct. 1670,
 sub anno ætatis suæ 79.

Sistamus ergo !

Moræ pretium est scire,
 quis demum Langthono claudit latus ?
 Solus Hacketus tanto dignus contuburnio ;
 cujus piæ liberalitati debetur,
 quod Langthoni cineres non frigescent.
 Ædis cathedralis Lichfeldiæ instaurator illic
 restaurator hic jacet.

Ecclesiæ Anglicanæ antistitem par ingens,
 eoque ingentius quod sibimet pares.

Scire vis, lector,
 quam multis ille bonis flebilis occidit ?

Scola regis Westmonast. alumnum,
 collegium SS. Trinitatis Cantabr. socium,

Ecclesia S. Andreae Holborn et Cheam in agro
 Surriensi, Quadregenarium rectorem, Edes D. Pauli
 residentiarium,
 sedes hæc episcopalis dignissimum sibi
 præsulem abreptum deflet.
 Sed ludo te, viator,
 dum inter mortuos refero
 eum virum
 quem restauratæ Pauli reliquiæ et Ceddæ ruinæ,
 quem hospitium episcopale SS. Trin. Coll.
 de novo exstructum,
 et Cantab. Bibliotheca libris cumulate aucta
 longum dabunt superstitem.'

" At the base of the tomb is inscribed :—

‘ Optimo patri, pientissimus filius, Andreas Hacket, miles,
 posuit.’

" Upon the gravestone in the aisle contiguous to the monument :—

‘ Johannes Hacket,
 episcopus Lichf. et Coventr.
 heic situs est.’ ”

Joseph Henshaw, D.D., born in 1603 or thereabouts, was second son of Thomas Henshaw of Basset Fee and Benton Place, in Shipley, Co. Sussex, Esq., by Jane his wife, daughter and heir of Richard Wistow of London, chief Chirurgeon to Queen Elizabeth; married Jane, third daughter of Richard May of Lavane, Co. Sussex, Esq.; was a Commoner of Magdalen Hall in 1621; Incumbent of Stedham with Hayshot, Co. Sussex, in 1634; and Dean of Chichester in 1660; and was

advanced from that deanery to the See of Peterborough, 15th April, 1663, having been Chaplain to Sir Jo. Digby, Earl of Bristol, and to George, Duke of Buckingham, when he was murdered; and was instituted Bishop thereof 28th May of that year; and, dying in London 9th March, 1678, was buried near to the grave of his wife at East Lavant, Co. Sussex. He was considered a learned man and good preacher, and was author of *Horæ Succisivæ*, 8vo. 1653, which has attained seven editions, the last of which was published in 12mo. 1661; also of *Dayly Thoughts*, 8vo. third edition, 1651.

The family of Bishop Henshaw derive from a family of that name in Cheshire.

Arms of Henshaw of Basset's Fee, Co. Sussex—Argent, a chevron between three heronshaws, sable.

Vide Britton's *Cathedral Antiquities*; and Wood's *Athenæ Oxoniensis*, by Doctor Bliss, vol. iii. col. 1195; and Berry's *Sussex*, page 53.

Descent of the Family of Eyre of Rampton.

William le Eyr of Hope, in the County of Derby, temp. Henry III., held lands of the king *in capite* by service of the custody of the Forest of High Peak, and died seised thereof before 4th December, 28 Edward I. He was direct ancestor of Gervase Eyre, Esq. of Newbold, Co. Derby, and Keveton, aged 28 years, 31st April, 17th Elizabeth, who married Mary, 4th daughter of George Nevile, Esq. of Thorney in Nottinghamshire, by Barbara his wife, one of the eight sisters and coheirs of Sir George Hercy, Knight, Lord of Grove. Ger-

vase Eyre died in 1626, and was succeeded by his son and heir,

Anthony Eyre, Esq. of Loughton-en-le-Morthem, Co. York, and of Keveton, aged nine in 1585; he married Anne, daughter of John Markham, Esq. of Sedbrough, Co. Lincoln, and was by her father of,

Sir Gervase Eyre, Knight, who was slain in defending Newark Castle for King Charles, 5th May, 20 Car. I.; married 30th November, 1624, Elizabeth, elder daughter and coheir (with her sister Barbara, wife of Thomas Bosville, Esq., of Warmsworth) of John Babington, Esq. of Rampton, Co. Nottingham, great-grandson of John Babington, Esq., by Sanchia his wife, and only daughter and heir of Richard Stanhope, Esq. of Rampton. Sir Gervase was succeeded at his decease by his son,

Anthony Eyre, Esq. of Rampton, baptized 17th September, 1634; married, firstly, 9th June, 1657, Lucy, daughter of Sir John Digby of Mansfield Woodhouse, Co. Nottingham, and by her, who died June, 1659, had an only daughter, Elizabeth, living and under age in 1671. He married, secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Packington, Baronet, of Westwood in Worcestershire, by Dorothy his wife, daughter of Thomas, Lord Coventry, and had, with other issue, his son and heir, Gervase. Anthony Eyre died 1671, and was succeeded by his son and heir,

Gervase Eyre, Esq. of Rampton, baptized there 20th August, 1669, High-Sheriff for Nottinghamshire, and M.P., some time resident at Sandbeck, Co. York. He married, before 28th May, 1689, Catherine, only surviving daughter of Sir Henry Cooke, Bart. of Wheatley; she died 7th November, 1704. Her husband, Gervase Eyre, died in London, 16th February, 1703, and was succeeded by his eldest son,

Anthony Eyre, Esq. of Rampton, some time of Adwick-le-Street, and of Loughton, Co. York, who served the office of Sheriff for Nottinghamshire in 1729. He married 23d December, 1717, Margaret, fifth daughter of Charles Turner, Esq. of Kirk Leatham, Co. York, and had issue,—

1. Anthony, his heir.
1. Margaret, born 5th January, 1718; married, in 1742, Bache Thornhill, Esq. of Thornhill and Stainton, Co. Derby, ancestor by her of William Pole Thornhill, Esq. of Thornhill and Stainton.
2. Katherine, born 7th June, 1721; married Matthew Dodsworth, Esq. of Thornton Watlass, Co. York.
3. Elizabeth, born 20th May, 1722; married, after 1759, — Chambers, Esq. of Ripon, Co. York.
4. Diana Eyre, born 26th July, 1723, died unmarried.
5. Mary, born 21st October, 1726; married 26th October, 1752, Anthony Cooke, Esq. of Owston, Co. York (son and heir of Henry Cooke, Esq., of Owston, third son of Sir Henry Cooke of Wheatley, second Baronet), born 1710; and by him, who died 30th April, 1763, left at her decease, 13th August, 1785, with junior issue, a son and heir,
 - a Bryan Cooke, Esq. of Owston, M.P., whose son and heir,
 - Philip Davies Cooke, Esq. of Owston, Hafod-y-Wern, and Gwysaney, was father of the present,
 - Philip Bryan Davies Cooke, Esq. of Owston, Hafod-y-Wern, and Gwysaney.

Anthony Eyre died in 1748, and was succeeded by his son,—

Anthony Eyre, Esq. of Grove, Co. Nottingham, and of Adwick-le-Street, born 9th January, 1727, married at Headon, 1755, Judith Letitia, only daughter and heir of John Bury, Esq. of Nottingham, by Catherine Hutchinson his wife, granddaughter and heir of Sir Edmund Wasteney, Bart., and had by her, who died in 1800, four sons and one daughter, viz.,—

1. Anthony Hardolph, his heir.
2. John Eyre, in holy orders, born 19th February, 1758; Rector of Babworth, Co. Nottingham, and one of the Canons-Residentiary of York and Archdeacon of Nottingham; married 12th April, 1790, Charlotte, third daughter of Sir George Armytage of Kirklees, Co. York, third Baronet, by Anna Maria, eldest daughter and coheir of Godfrey Wentworth, Esq. of Woolley Park and Hickleton, in the same county. By this lady, Archdeacon Eyre, who died in March, 1830, had issue,—
 - a* John Hardolph Eyre, born 2d May, 1792; married his first-cousin, Henrietta, second daughter of Colonel Hardolph Eyre of Grove, but died s. p. in 1817.
 - b* Charles Wasteney Eyre, in holy orders, present representative of the family, of whom presently.
 - c* Anthony Gervase Eyre, born August, 1812.
 - a* Charlotte, married Henry Willoughby, Esq. of Birdsall House, Co. York.
 - b* Anna Maria Eyre, died 1826.
 - c* Louisa Henrietta Eyre, deceased.
3. Charles Eyre, in holy orders, sometime Rector of Grove, Co. Nottingham, born 3d January, 1768, died unmarried 2d June, 1796.

4. George (Sir), K.C.B., K.C.M.G., Vice-Admiral of the Red, born 23d April, 1769; married at Doncaster, 1st November, 1800, Georgiana, sixth daughter of Sir George Cooke of Wheatley, seventh Baronet. He died 15th February, 1839, having had issue,—

a George Hardolph Eyre, born at Hatfield, Co. York, 20th September, 1801, originally a midshipman R.N., and subsequently Perpetual Curate of Dalton, near Rotherham, Co. York.

b William (Sir), K.C.B., Major-General in the Army, and Lieutenant-General on the Staff, Canada; born at Hatfield, 21st October, 1805; married Georgiana, fifth daughter by Grace, daughter of Samuel Estwicke, Esq., of the Honourable John Bridgeman Orlando, of Babworth Hall, Co. Notts., who assumed by Act of Parliament the surname and arms of Simpson, second son by Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of John Simpson, Esq., of Henry Orlando, first Lord Bradford. Of this marriage there has been issue,—

Arthur Hardolph Eyre, born November, 1851.

c Georgiana Frances Eyre, died April, 1849.

d Mary Charlotte, married, June 1846, the Rev. C. B. Bowles, Vicar of Woking, Co. Surrey, and has issue four sons and a daughter.

e Caroline Julia Eyre.

f Harriet Sophia Eyre.

g Charlotte Maria Eyre.

h Julia Letitia Eyre.

5. Julia, married 1779, Robert Auriol Hay Drummond, afterwards ninth Earl of Kinnoul, and died s. p.

Anthony Eyre, died 14th February, 1788, and was succeeded by his son,

Anthony Hardolph Eyre, Esq., of Grove; born 8th March, 1757; Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army, and sometime Colonel of the Nottinghamshire Yeomanry, Member for the County, and Chairman of the Quarter Sessions at East Retford. He married, 20th December, 1783, Francisca Alicia, third daughter of Richard Wilbraham Bootle, Esq. of Latham Hall, in Lancashire, and sister of Edward Bootle Wilbraham, Lord Skelmersdale, by whom, who died 3d September, 1810, he had issue,—

1. Gervase Anthony Eyre, born 20th October, 1791, an Officer in the 1st Regiment of Foot Guards, killed at the battle of Barossa, in Spain, March 1811, unmarried.

1. Mary Letitia, daughter and coheir, married at Grove, 23d August, 1804, Charles Herbert Pierrepont, Earl Manvers, and by him has had issue,—

a Charles Evelyn, Viscount Newark, born 2d September, 1805; married 16th August, 1832, Emily, second daughter of Lord Hatherton, and died s. p. 23d August, 1850. His widow died 10th March, 1851.

b Sydney William Herbert, Viscount Newark, born 25th March, 1825; married 15th June, 1852, Georgina-Jane-Elizabeth-Fanny, second daughter of the Duc de Coigny, and has issue,—

a The Honourable Charles William Sidney Pierrepont, born August, 1854.

b The Honourable Emily Annora Charlotta Pierrepont.

a The Lady Mary Frances, married 1845, Edward Christopher Egerton, Esq., M.P., born 27th July, 1816, son of Wilbraham Egerton, Esq. of Tatton, Co. Chester, M.P. for Cheshire, and has issue.

b The Lady Annora Charlotta, married 18th August, 1853, Charles Watkin Williams-Wynn, Esq., formerly M.P. for the County of Montgomery, born 4th October, 1822, son and heir of the late Right Honourable Charles Watkin Williams-Wynn, M.P. for Montgomeryshire, second son of Sir Watkin Williams-Wynn, of Wynnstay, Co. Denbigh, fourth Baronet, and has issue.

2. Frances Julia, daughter and coheir; married 22d February, 1814, Granville Harcourt Vernon, Esq. of Grove, Co. Nottingham, M.P., Chancellor of the Diocese of York, born in 1792, sixth son by Anne, third daughter of Granville, first Marquis of Stafford, of Edward Granville Harcourt, Archbishop of York, second son of George, Lord Vernon, Baron of Kinder-ton, Co. Chester, and Martha, third daughter of the Honourable S. Harcourt, and sister of Simon, first Earl of Harcourt.

By the marriage of Miss Frances Eyre and Mr. Granville Harcourt Vernon there has been issue,—

a Granville Edward Harcourt Vernon, Esq., M.P. for Newark, born 23d November, 1810; married 23d November, 1854, the Lady Selina Cathe-

rine Mead, only daughter of Richard, third Earl of Clanwilliam.

- b* Evelyn Hardolph Harcourt Vernon, in holy orders, Rector of Grove and Headon, Co. Notts.; born 30th August, 1821; married 19th April, 1849, Jane Catherine, youngest daughter of Edward St. John Mildmay, Esq., and has issue,—

Mary Frances Harcourt Vernon.

Catherine Helena Harcourt Vernon.

Another daughter.

- c* Edward Leveson Harcourt Vernon, born 8th April, 1824, died 16th September, 1840.

- d* Henry Arthur Harcourt Vernon, Captain R.A., born July, 1825.

- e* Charles Egerton Harcourt Vernon, Lieutenant R.N., born June, 1827.

- f* Marianne Frances, married 20th September, 1843, Humphrey St. John Mildmay, Esq., and by him has issue three daughters.

3. Henrietta, daughter and coheir; married, firstly, her cousin, John Hardolph Eyre, Esq., who died s. p., eldest son of the Reverend John Eyre, Archdeacon of Nottingham; and secondly, 1828, Henry Gally Knight, Esq., of Firbeck Hall, Co. York, M.P.

Colonel Eyre died in 1836, and was succeeded by,

The Reverend Charles Wasteneys Eyre, of Rampton, Co. Notts., representative of the Eyres of Rampton; born at Babworth, 7th March, 1802; married 1827, Lucy Dorothea, daughter of John Robinson Foulis, Esq. of Buckton, Co. York, second son of Sir William Foulis of Ingleby Manor, Co. York,

sixth Baronet, by Beatrice Hester Decima, eldest daughter of Sir Christopher Sykes of Sladmere, Co. York, second Baronet, and has issue,—

1. Henry Eyre, Esq., heir-apparent of the Eyres of Ramp-ton, Lieutenant Rifle Brigade, born 4th February, 1834.
2. Arthur Stanhope Eyre, born 3rd August, 1840.
1. Lucy Harriet Eyre.

Confirmation of Arms by College of Heralds to Bryan Cooke of Doncaster, ancestor of the Cookes of Wheatley, Baronets, and Cookes of Owston.

To all and singuler, as well Nobles and Gent̃, as others to whom these p̃sents shall come, Henry St. George, Kt., al̃s Norroy, principall Herauld and King of Arms, of the North partes of the realme of England from the River of Trent Northward, sendeth greeting, in our Lord God Everlasting: Know ye, that auntiently from the begining, it hath been a custome and to this day it is continued, that all Estates and Degrees have beene and are knowne each from other by sundry markes and signes, called armes, whereby they might not only be distinguished [from] the vulger sorte of people, but also demonstrate the worthyness, which the bearers thereof had atchieved either by their valour in the field in tyme of warr, or by their vertuous endeavours in the Coĩmonwealth, in the tyme of peace, w^{ch} order as it was most prudently devised in y^e begining to stirr and kindle the heartes of men to the imitation of vertue and nobleness, even so it hath been and yet is continually observed, to the end, that such as have done coĩmend-

able service to their prince or country myght receive due honor in their lives and also derive the same to their posterity for ever after their deaths; and being required by Bryan Cook of Doncaster, in the County of York, Gent., to make search in y^e Registers and Records of my office for the Armes and Crest of his Ancestors, whereupon at his reasonable request I have made search accordingly and doe find, that he may lawfully bear these Armes and Crest as followeth, (that is to say): Or, a cheveron gules, between 2 lions passant gardant, sables, armed of the second; and for his crest, a demy-lion, rampant, sables, armed gules, gorged with a crounet about his neck, or, out of a crowne murall argent, mantled gules, doubled argent, as in the Margent more plainly depicted: the w^{ch} Armes and Crest and every part and parcell thereof I, the said King of Armes, by power and authority of my office to me comitted under the Great Seale of England, doe ratifye and confirme, give and grant unto and for the abovesaid Bryan Cooke and to his posteritye, with their due differences, for ever.—In witness, &c. 27 Aug. 1635. 11 King Char.

Extracted from the College of Arms, London, and
examined therewith by me, the 4th June, 1857,

G. W. COLLEN,
Portcullis Pursuivant of Arms.

